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A COLUMN OF VARIOUS NEWS.

Subjects for Benefit of Farmer and Home-
wife Issued by Pennsylvania State Col-
lege.

EXPERIMENTS WITH CORN.

Experiments at the Pennsylvania State College show that seed corn kept at living room temperature during the winter resulted in better germination both indoors and in the field, than did seed kept without artificial heat. The difference in the yield was insignificant.

Ear-to-row breeding of one variety followed by crossing of remnants of the best yielding ears, as shown by yields of seed from best ear-rows and from crosses of best ears, has not materially increased the yield.

IVY POISONING TIME HERE.

Persons susceptible to plant poisoning are warned against contact with poisonous varieties of oak, sumac, elder and ivy by Dr. W. E. Forsythe, college physician of the Pennsylvania State College. He issued the caution at this time for the benefit of many people who are unaware that so many plants will cause the disease. According to Dr. Forsythe, about a score of different plants will affect those susceptible.

Dr. Forsythe recommends as treatment, immediate washing with soap and water, followed by alcohol and a dilute solution of potassium permanganate. He suggested baking soda water to control the itching, and advised against using oily substances as they dissolve the poison and tend to spread it.

HANDLING TOMATO PLANTS.

Don't transplant the growing tomato plants to the field before danger of frost is past, unless some means of protection is provided. Vegetable authorities at the Pennsylvania State College suggest covering them with soil. The plant should be bent to one side and covered with two inches of soil, which will protect it from the hardest frost. Provided plants are thus protected several days, no danger will result if the weather is cool and dry.

SUMMER AGRICULTURE COURSE.

A course in agriculture will be offered in the summer session for teachers which is to be held from June 26 to August 2, at the Pennsylvania State College. For beginners there will be a course in elementary or high school agriculture and in farm soils, breeds of live stock, poultry, farm dairying, vegetable gardening, botany and forestry.

Prof. Lindley M. Dennie, supervisor of agriculture of the State Department of Public Instruction will offer a course in rural school problems. The departments of geology, botany and zoology will co-operate in a course in nature study.

Special attention will be directed toward the problem of the one-room public school and township high school. A series of five lectures, one each week, on the present agricultural outlook, is scheduled. These will be presented by department heads of the school of agriculture.

Students who take the summer courses in agriculture are given credit for this work in case they desire at a later date to enter the two-year of four-year course.

CATTLE FEEDING EXPERIMENTS

SHOW VALUE OF CORN SILAGE.

Cattle feeding experiments conducted during the past winter at the Pennsylvania State College School of Agriculture and Experiment Station emphasize the value of corn silage as a feed for fattening steers.

Five lots of cattle were used in this experiment to compare the efficiency and economy of different feeds. The conclusions reached after the close of the 140-day feeding period are as follows: That (1) The feeding of the common Pennsylvania ration viz: ear corn or corn and cob meal, bran, corn stover and mixed hay, was uneconomical when compared to rations containing corn silage and cottonseed meal, and from which grain was withheld for the first eight weeks. (2) Corn silage proved to be the most desirable roughage for fattening cattle. (3) A limited ration of corn silage supplemented with mixed hay was not as economical nor as satisfactory a roughage in a ration as one in which silage was the sole roughage. (4) Five pounds of alfalfa hay per head, daily, was not as satisfactory as two and one-half pounds of cottonseed meal when fed as a source of protein. (5) Bran was not economical as a source of protein in a ration for fattening cattle. (6) Corn silage fed to the limit of the appetites of the steers, supplemented with two and one-half pounds of cottonseed meal per head, daily, the first three months and three and one-half pounds per head, daily, the last three months, proved to be the most economical and satisfactory ration.

Brings results—a Reporter adv.

RURAL CREDIT DEFINED.

What the Bill Before Congress Aims to Accomplish for the Farmer.

As the result of many requests for a brief explanation of the rural credits bill now before Congress Representative-at-large John R. K. Scott, of Pennsylvania, who has been active in supporting the measure at the instance of W. T. (Farmer) Cressey, legislative agent, and other officials and members of the Pennsylvania State Grange, gave out the following statement:

"The plan proposed, while not in my judgment exactly what the farmers anticipate in the way of rural credits legislation, is the best that it is possible to obtain under this administration. It is predicated on the fact that commercial banks do not meet the needs of the farmer. Commercial banks must always have quick assets with which to pay checks of their depositors.

"Farmers require a different system of credit. Their loans must be upon longer terms. They cannot afford the heavy interest rates charged in many portions of the country in commercial banks.

"The administrative section of the bill is patterned after the Federal Reserve Bank Act. There will be created a Federal Farm Loan Board to be composed of three members to be appointed by the President. They will have general supervision.

"There will be established 12 Federal land-bank districts and their temporary organization is provided for with a capitalization of \$750,000 each divided into shares of \$5. If this is not subscribed within 90 days after announcement is made the Secretary of the Treasury will be authorized to subscribe for the balance of the unsubscribed stock on behalf of the United States.

"After \$100,000 is subscribed by the National farm loan associations the bank will be permanently organized with nine directors, six to be elected by the associations and three appointed by the Farm Loan Board to represent the public interest.

"Local corporations to be styled National Farm Loan Associations are authorized to be organized and chartered when not less than ten persons who desire to become borrowers of not less than \$100 and not more than \$10,000 each, the combined amount to be not less than \$20,000, shall make proper application to the Board. These associations will elect five directors, a secretary-treasurer, a president and vice president and a loan committee of 3 members. Only borrowers can be members and when a loan is paid up membership ceases.

"Briefly here is the way a prospective borrower would proceed.

"If a farmer desires a loan of \$500 he will make application to the local association and subscribe for 5 per cent or \$25 worth of stock. The secretary-treasurer will refer the application to the association's loan committee. The committee will view the land and its report must be unanimous. If the directors approve the report it will be indorsed and forwarded to the loan-bank of the district. The title will then be examined, the \$25 in stock subscribed in the loan-bank and appraisers sent to view the land. If their report is favorable the loan will be made.

"The borrower's land must stand security for the loan and he will be liable for all loan of the local association to an amount double the stock he holds just as stockholders in all banks are now liable.

"Loans will only be made on first mortgages on farm land to purchase land for agricultural purposes and live stock necessary for the operation of the farm and for building and other improvements upon farm lands and to liquidate existing indebtedness.

"Loans may be run from 5 to 36 years and will be payable on the amortization plan. Interest must not exceed 6 per cent and it is intended by numerous experts who have studied the proposition that in many instances interest at 6 per cent should be sufficient to pay off both principal and interest in 36 years."

The entire stock of merchandise in the R. B. Harrison store, which was slightly damaged by fire a few weeks ago, has been placed in the hands of the Philadelphia Underling Co., of Philadelphia, who will sell the goods at a great saving to all who will take advantage of the sale. The goods, in nearly every case, are in first-class condition.

The double house of Mrs. H. J. Lambert, on east Church street, has been completely remodeled. Besides having an addition built, new floors have been laid, a bath room outfit installed, the rooms papered, and paint applied inside and out, so that it presents a beautiful appearance. The house has also been wired for electric lights.

LAD HAS NARROW ESCAPE FROM DEATH AT OLD FORT.

Runaway Team in Land Roller Strikes Tree and Throws Boy Off Who Sustains Three Fractures of Skull.—Providence Plays Part in Averting Death.

That George Vonada, the eight-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Jay Vonada, who recently moved from Rebersburg to Old Fort, has good chances for recovery instead of having been killed outright, is due to a kind act of Providence. As it is the little lad is lying at home with his skull fractured in three places and innumerable bruises and abrasions over the entire body.

It happened in this way: The lad has a fondness for horses and driving, and on Friday afternoon coaxed farmer Harry C. Reish, who farms the Bradford farm at Old Fort, to allow him to drive the team in the roller. Mr. Reish was using the other team in sowing oats. Owing to the youth's tender age Mr. Reish refused the request but at last yielded, feeling that by keeping close watch nothing would go wrong. The afternoon's work was done without an untoward incident and at near seven o'clock the lad started for the farm buildings by way of the pike. After passing over the L. & T. railroad tracks an auto passed the team and the horses—a bay mare and a colt—took fright and started on a dead run. It was but a few hundred yards to the buildings and for these they headed at breakneck speed. The lad held the lines with one hand and with the other grasped the iron seat of the steel roller. A post standing near the corn crib was struck and broken off and the roller then struck a tree, causing the tongue to snap off and at the same time freeing the horses. It was at this time that the hand of Providence took so important a part in the course of events and saved the lad from sure death. As the tongue broke in two the broken part fell to the ground slightly in the rear of the boy who was thrown head foremost to the ground and close to the horses' heels. Here again a kind fate asserted itself, for had the horses remained hitched the lad would have been at the mercy of the striking feet of the animals. As the roller rushed toward the boy the heavy steel drums were raised to the height of four or five inches as they struck the piece of broken tongue. This raised the roller sufficiently to cause it to pass over the boy's body with much less force than if the ground had been clear. There were several eye witnesses to the accident, but it all happened in so short a time that nothing could be done but to await results. Maynard Meeker, proprietor of the Old Fort hotel, was the first on the scene and tenderly lifted the injured and unconscious lad in his arms. The father was notified and he removed the lad to his home.

It was feared that he was past all help but quick work on the part of Dr. H. H. Longwell brought the lad to a state of consciousness. His wounds were carefully treated and at this writing there is every reason to believe that he will recover. The physician's examination revealed a fracture at the base of the skull; fracture of the super-orbital sinuses, (the part of the skull immediately above the eyes), and bruises and abrasions over the entire body.

The horses came to a standstill after running a short distance after being released from the implement.

Those who witnessed the accident said that they never observed anything that appeared so frightful to the senses as the spectacle of the runaway team and its subsequent results.

Receives Merited Promotion.

On Tuesday, May 2nd, the Cumberland Valley Railroad Company, through its president, issued the following formal general notice:

"Mr. C. W. Musser has been appointed machine shop foreman, in charge of the machine and boiler shops. Effective May 2, 1916. (Signed) M. C. Kennedy, president."

Many Centre county people will at once know Mr. Musser to be the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert D. Musser, of Spring Mills, and a brother of Mrs. Ralph E. Dinges, of this place. This merited promotion came as a surprise to him for it has been an unchangeable rule with the company to promote only men of college education to this responsible position. However, Mr. Musser, by his mastery of the details of the work in the boiler and machine shops, shrewdly reached the enviable position he now holds.

Mr. Musser served an apprenticeship in the Altoona boiler shops and about five years ago was transferred to Chambersburg as assistant boiler inspector.

Until he became of age Mr. Musser worked on the home farm and his recent promotion is only another instance of how integrity and strict attention to one's work will be rewarded. His many friends in Centre Valley will be pleased to learn of his success.

CENTRE COUNTY DEBATORS LOST OUT AT STATE COLLEGE.

Trio of Dauphin County Debaters Wins Honors in Final Discussion.—Presented With Cup and Medal.

The final contest of the Central Pennsylvania Debating League was held in the Auditorium at State College, Saturday night. The Dauphin county team, upholding the affirmative on the question, "Resolved, that international peace would be best promoted by extensive warlike preparations on the part of all great nations," was declared the winner.

Five counties competed for the honors, and in order to decide which two were entitled to battle in the final contest, an elimination contest was held in the afternoon. The Centre county team, consisting of Lee Frazer, of the Bellefonte high school, and Miles Thomas, of the Boalsburg high school, were united with the Clearfield team against the Dauphin county debaters. Centre county went down in defeat and was consequently eliminated from the contest in the final debate. Between Clinton and Huntingdon the former was victorious in the afternoon but lost out in the evening.

The winning team was given a silver cup, the gift of Vance C. McCormick, of Harrisburg. President Sparks, of the college, presented the victors, Ruth Beatty, Harold Eckart and Homer Kreider, with medals.

LOCALS.

A daughter born to Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Stover, Friday morning, died about three hours later.

John Wagner, of Potts Grove, son of Rev. and Mrs. William Wagner, spent Sunday with his aunt, Mrs. A. E. Kerlin.

Mrs. John Snyder, who spent the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Earl Lutz, in this place, returned to her home at Oak Hall last week.

Harry W. Potter spent the week-end with friends and relatives in Watsonburg, Lock Haven and Williamsport, making the trip in the Potter car.

The annual meeting of the Reformed and Lutheran Cemetery Association will be held in the Lutheran church Monday evening at 8 o'clock. All interested are urged to attend.

Old Glory was swung to the breeze and the citizens generally enthusiastically greeted the members of First Cavalry, Company L, as they passed through town Sunday morning and afternoon.

Victor Jones, who was graduated from the theological seminary at Lancaster, last week, is spending a short vacation with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. R. B. Jones, at the Reformed parsonage.

The lady of fashion will continue to wear the shoe-top-and-above skirt next fall, according to the decision of the style committee of the National Cloak, Suit and Skirt Manufacturers' Association which convened last week.

Milton Kline, of Tusseyville, was in town on Saturday and called on the Reporter. He is tenant on the Swartz farm, and reports having the farm work well in hand. Mr. Kline formerly lived on the Bible farm east of Centre Hall.

J. Frank Bible, of Centre Hill, last week sold seven fat steers to Reigle, the Lock Haven buyer. The animals totaled 7215 lbs., were all young and in the pink of condition. Eight cents a pound was realized, bringing the check up to \$577.20.

Dr. H. H. Longwell, on Friday, took Ralph Henney, of this place, and Edwin Grove, son of Commissioner D. A. Grove, to Williamsport, where the former was examined for nasal trouble which will require an operation later. The latter submitted to an operation and was returned to his home.

Thirty-eight members of Troop L, of Bellefonte, under Capt. H. Laird Curtin, rode over the mountain on Sunday and took dinner at the Old Fort hotel. Following this a practice drill was held in the road and on the top of Nittany mountain where they ambushed until the arrival of the remainder of the troop. A sham battle ensued during which a number of volleys were fired, blank cartridges being used.

Monday a bunch of fishermen from the Pittsburgh district landed at Paddy mountain for a week's sport. On reaching Bellefonte three of the party visited grocery stores to lay in a few extras, and bargaining too long missed the Penna Valley train. A Ford car was pressed into service, and landed them at the Centre Hall station long enough in advance of the train to give the trio the opportunity to tell the story to the writer. The ride across Old Nittany was enjoyed immensely, and since the train's time was beaten the experience was worth the price.

DEATHS.

Mrs. John F. Hagen died at her home at Farmers Mills Sunday morning at three o'clock, having been in an unconscious condition since Friday previous as the result of a paralytic stroke which she sustained a week ago on Sunday. A year ago on New Year's day she sustained the first stroke but her health was very good following her recovery, and on the Sunday which marked the beginning of the end she was unusually well.

Mrs. Hagen was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Brown, and was born in Millheim sixty years ago, the day before her death having been her birthday anniversary. She is survived by her husband and ten children, namely, Merrill, Russell, Charles, Verna, at home; Bruce, of Ohio; Harry, of Shamokin; William, of Madisonburg; Blanche, of Bellefonte; Mrs. Harry Ream, of Pleasant Gap; Mrs. Jennie Stover, of Wolf's Store. Her father, at the age of eighty-one years, is living at Millheim. She also leaves two sisters and three brothers: Mrs. James Neff, of Hecla; Mrs. William Hartman, of Williamsport; Charles, Elroy and Equillas Brown, of Millheim. Edward Brown, of Centre Hall, is a half brother of the deceased.

Funeral services were held Wednesday morning at nine o'clock at her late home and burial was made in the Union cemetery at Farmers Mills. Rev. D. S. Kurtz and Rev. B. F. Bieber, her former pastor, officiating.

Mrs. Hagen was a member of the Lutheran church for many years and a woman of tender sympathies, devoted to her home and family.

Mrs. Frank Confer died at her late residence in Lewisburg, May 3, following an illness of a year suffering from tuberculosis. She was born at Millheim May 14, 1890, a daughter of I. W. Buck. She was married to Mr. Confer in Feb., 1910. Her husband, one son, Russell, aged 4, and a brother, Wilbur Buck, of Milton, survive. Burial was made in the Lewisburg cemetery.

William H. Lucas, a native of Milesburg, died from cancer of the liver at his home near Tyrone, Saturday afternoon. He was born April 7, 1850. He leaves his wife and five children.

ALTERS-LEITZEL.

Harry Alters and Miss Eva May Leitzel, both of Bellefonte, surprised their families and friends last Friday a week ago by slipping off quietly to Hagerstown, Md., where the next day they were happily united in marriage. They kept their plans a profound secret and left Bellefonte ostensibly to visit friends of Mr. Alters in Centre Hall, where he lived a number of years ago. The bride is the attractive and accomplished daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Leitzel, while the groom is a popular young traveling salesman. They will reside for the present in Bellefonte. The best wishes and hearty congratulations of their many friends accompany them on life's voyage together.

LEWIS-MUSSER.

Miss Mae Musser, who a month ago resigned her position as clerk in the Millheim postoffice and went to Philadelphia, was united in marriage to Daniel W. Lewis, M. D., of Philadelphia, on Wednesday evening, May 3. The ceremony was performed in the parsonage of the St. Luke's Evangelical Lutheran church, Seventh street and Montgomery avenue, Philadelphia, by Rev. John Wm. Richards. They will reside at 3144 North Twenty-second street, Philadelphia.

HAGENBECK-WALLACE CIRCUS.

The Hagenbeck-Wallace circus, which comes to Bellefonte, Wednesday, May 31st, for two performances, is one of the cleanest in the personnel of its actors that travels. Many of its employees are churchmen. Drunkenness is not permitted in any form.

The Carl Hagenbeck-Wallace Circus is a little city within itself. There are almost a thousand people connected with the great organization. In any city of 1,000 souls it is not hard to find a few bad persons. It is these that the management endeavors to discover and eliminate as soon as possible. A premium is placed on the polite and hard working employees.

Seed Corn for Sale.

The undersigned still has some Yellow Dent seed corn, testing from 95 to 98 per cent, germination, for sale.—W. F. COLYER, Centre Hall, Pa.

Read Swartz's ad. on the last page of this issue. Mr. Swartz is offering bargains on seasonable goods. He carries one of the most complete stocks of any store in the entire valley and the best feature of his advertising is that it is truthful to the final word. Goods are always as represented and reductions absolutely genuine. Read the ad.

TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS.

HAPPENINGS OF LOCAL INTEREST FROM ALL PARTS.

Mrs. D. L. Kerr was to Williamsport on Thursday to consult an eye specialist.

Clement Dale, Esq., of Bellefonte, was in town early Thursday morning on legal business pertaining to the Kreamer bankruptcy case.

An orchestra of sixteen pieces was organized by Millheim young people about a week ago. J. Russell Gephart is the instructor and leader.

'Squire and Mrs. Cyrus Brungart attended a reunion of the family of the former's brother, Newton Brungart, at Lewisburg, on Thursday. About thirty of the clan were present.

Robert Rider, of Reedsville, is equipping a number of buildings throughout Penna Valley with lightning rods. His working force, together with Mr. Rider, for several days last week, made Old Fort hotel their headquarters.

Judging from the general appearance of the mounts used in Troup L there is room for improvement in the breeding of the horse of cavalry type. There were but few animals that could be classed as ideals for the purpose used. Among these was the Goodhart horse, the mount of Captain Curtin.

A quietus has suddenly come upon the State College street railway project and it now appears that street car service in that place is as far distant as ever. At the May meeting of the borough council, last week, one company asked to have withdrawn their request for a franchise, while the Lewistown people failed to be present at all.

A number of subscribers were mailed statements last week. In nearly every case the sum was not a large one, and for this we are glad. The postoffice department, you know, obliges us to keep subscriptions paid up within a year, hence the mailing of the reminders was necessary. Your label should have a "6". Is yours up to date?

Mrs. D. W. Reynolds, of Reedsville has been sorely afflicted during the past few weeks from an affection of the knee. The limb has been in a plaster paris case for some time. X-ray photographs lead the physicians to believe that the trouble is only temporary. Mrs. Reynolds is in St. Louis, Missouri, at the home of her daughter.

R. H. Goodhart and Ralph Stiffler of Altoona were guests of F. V. Goodhart for several days, and while here were taken to Pennsylvania's two great institutions—Penn State and the State pen—in Centre county to look them over. The former is a brother of the host and is a railroad engineer on the Cresson and Clearfield railroad, and the latter is a Penna shopman.

On Tuesday, while preparing to do the feeding at the farm of Daniel Ream, at Aaronsburg, Paul Sheehey, the 15-year-old hireling, met with an extremely painful accident, says the Millheim Journal. Hot water had been carried into the barn for the purpose of scalding chow feed for the stock, and young Sheehey jumped from the mow into the water and badly scalded both feet and legs. When his shoes and stockings were removed all the skin peeled off his feet.

"A Modern Knight," the three-act comedy which the Bellefonte high school students presented here a few weeks ago to a small but appreciative audience, scored a better financial success in its home town a week ago, when \$185.00 was paid in admissions. The Reporter, in commenting on the play, spoke highly of the play and the players. It was not the lack of appreciation of good things, as one Bellefonte paper expressed it, that kept down the attendance, but simply the fact that the young people were unfortunate in coming here at a time when the show business was, plainly speaking, worked to death. A run of entertainments throughout the entire winter and spring had its effect on the entertainment-loving public.

Barber F. P. Geary was exhibiting 93 inches of fine trout on Friday evening, the result of a few hours' fishing in Penna Creek, below Coburn. Oh, no, the 93 inches doesn't represent the length of one fish, but the combined length of eight, which gives a nice average. One trout measured 16 1/2 inches and none were under nine inches. Mr. Geary swears that the daddy of them all—a California trout that was slightly shorter than a yard stick—dropped back into the stream because he had no net large enough to land him as he cleared the water. He was fishing with his brother-in-law, J. B. Kerestetter, who, he admits, is qualified to give him a few pointers in the piscatorial art, and who played a rather important part in the afternoon's sport.

THE EUROPEAN WAR A YEAR AGO THIS WEEK

May 15, 1915.

Russians completely driven from Jaroslav and all towns on west bank of San.

Austrian Tenth army arrived in front of Przemyśl.

Russians drove Teutons back ten miles in Bukovina.

Turks repulsed allies near Av Burnu.

American note on Lusitania delivered to Germany.

Russian Black Sea fleet destroyed 24 Turkish vessels.

German submarine sank Danish steamer Martha without warning.

May 16, 1915.

British broke German line near La Bassee and won mile of territory.

Lively fighting in Champagne.

Russians massed behind the San and Austrians behind the Pruth.

Germans defeated by Russians in Baltic provinces.

May 17, 1915.

British made more gains in La Bassee region.

French and Belgians drove Germans across Yser canal.

Austrians captured Drohobycz, central Galicia.

Russians repulsed Germans at Shavli.

Zeppelins dropped bombs on Ramsgate.

May 18, 1915.

French made gains near Abblain.

Germans repulsed British south of Neuve Chapelle.

Austro-Germans began bombardment of Przemyśl forts.

Russians attacked vigorously in South Poland.

Two Zeppelins destroyed by allies' fire.

Premier Asquith announced reorganization of British cabinet.

May 19, 1915.

Germans captured French trenches on heights of Lorette.

British repulsed near Neuve Chapelle.

Austro-Germans forced crossings of the San river.

Russians broke Austrian right in Bukovina.

Turks drove allies from advanced positions near Kara Burnu, Gallipoli.

German submarine sank two British steamers.

May 20, 1915.

French advanced in Champagne and near Bagatelle.

Tremendous fighting along the San river.

Allies attacked Turkish positions at Kithia and Atchi Baba, Gallipoli.

Continuous bombardment of Nagara, Turkey, by allied fleet.

Przemysl bombarded by squadron of Austrian aeroplanes.

May 21, 1915.

French drove Germans entirely from Lorette heights.

Canadians captured German position north of Ypres.

Desperate battle below Przemyśl.

British ship Glenholm sunk by gunfire from submarine.

COLLECTED ITEMS

An electrically lighted cross revolves on top of a San Francisco steeple.

The 554 people out of every thousand in Switzerland who save money must be compared with a meager 108 in this country, the difference accounting, according to a Chicago banker, for the fact that in our large cities one burial out of ten is made in a potter's field.

Pellagra may be prevented or cured by proper diet.

A large eastern railroad is instructing its signal erectors and testing its engineers' knowledge of signals by means of modern pictures shown in a car which travels over its lines.

"The flowers of Hawaii declare the glories of God, and the fish showeth his handiwork," declares a realistic writer in the Christian Herald, asserting, by the way, that nowhere else in the world can fish be found in so many and such variegated hues as in the waters of these Pacific possessions of ours.

Open air is the best spring tonic.

Typhoid fever is a disease peculiar to man.

Mutual benefit insurance societies have been established in the public schools of Rome and other Italian cities. The underlying idea is that pupils shall pay small weekly sums to a general fund, from which certain amounts are paid out in case of sickness, accident or death. The system is said to be growing rapidly.

There is an unquestionable record of hearing the firing at Ypres at a distance of 140 miles and a somewhat doubtful one of 150 miles.

PERSHING FREE TO RENEW CHASE

Rumors of Anti-American Agitation By Carranza Men.

TROOPS READY TO DASH

Infantry Guard Increased At Arizona Towns Following Report Of New Raid On Border Mining Camp.

El Paso.—Orders have been issued from Washington to rush troops across the Rio Grande and take all Mexican border towns and railway terminals if the punitive expedition is attacked by Carranza forces. Artillery fire from the Mexican side of the border will be considered sufficient excuse to seize any given point.

These are declared to be the tentative orders received by General Funston after the report of the Scott-Obregon conference, which ended in a disagreement had been digested at the War Department.

General Funston received a wireless message from General Pershing that Carranza authorities in Central and Southern Chihuahua are issuing arms and ammunition to the native citizens.

The report added that a brigade of cavalry had been deployed south of Namiqupa as an advance guard. All heavy equipment has been brought back to the base and is under protection of the infantry.

Wilson Stands Pat On Policy.

Washington.—Failure of the military conference at El Paso to reach a definite agreement has brought no change in the policy toward Mexico of the Washington administration. President Wilson and his Cabinet discussed General Scott's report announcing the questions at issue had been referred back to the conferees to their respective governments for diplomatic discussion. Later it was officially stated that the situation was unchanged.

There was no evidence among administration officials of greatly increased concern over the events at the border and in Mexico.

FRANCE NOT YET READY.

Embassy Says Her Position Is the Same As Other Allies.

Washington.—France is no more set against peace at this time than her allies are, it was said at the French Embassy, but—

"For the present we will turn a deaf ear to peace talk," it was added.

Commenting on the dispatch from Rome, telling of reports that France alone of all the belligerents is not inclined to make peace, embassy officials insisted France's position is not different from the others.

While Washington officials attached significance to the fact that the censors of both Italy and France passed the cable message reporting France's alleged position, no such significance was admitted by the embassy.

Still Stand Together.

"It is still 'one for all and all for one,'" it was declared.

The German Embassy makes no secret of Germany's willingness to talk peace. As for terms, Germany, embassy attaches say, is standing pat on those named by Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg in the Reichstag. Of the "peace paragraph" in Germany's latest submarine note to America, one embassy official said:

"That suggestion is a plain declaration of the hope that the United States may seek to bring about peace."

URGES FEDERAL AID.

Congressman Kent Wants States Assisted In Tuberculosis Work.

Washington.—Federal aid to states which care for non-resident tuberculosis patients was proposed by Congressman Kent before the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis. A bill introduced by him in the House and by Senator Norris in the Senate, paying 75 cents a day for each patient, was explained. In California, his home State, and in many other Far Western localities the health of whole districts is endangered by the immigration of tuberculosis patients who cannot now obtain proper treatment in their own states, he said.

NO THOUGHT OF PEACE.

British Home Secretary Says Germany Must First Be Beaten.

London.—England's answer to the peace intimations contained in the German note to the United States was given by Home Secretary Herbert Samuel. In a public address the Home Secretary said: "There will be no thought of peace until Germany is beaten. Our victory must be decisive."

WRECK ON SEABOARD.

Two Killed, Five Injured, When Flamingo Special Is Derailed.

Raleigh, N. C.—Two persons were killed and five injured when the Flamingo Special on the Seaboard Air Line was wrecked. The wreck, which was caused by a defective switch, occurred 50 miles north of Raleigh. The train was derailed.

THE INVISIBLE ENEMY IN MEXICO



SHARP FIGHTING ON ALL FRONTS

Results at Verdun Are About Stand-off.

RUSSIANS GET THRUST

Germans Take Slav Trench and Turks Are Being Driven Back By Troops Of the Czar—The Balkan Field.

London.—Another shift in the line of attack upon Verdun is reported. Holding in check their forces west of the Meuse, where they recently scored important successes, the Germans have again taken the offensive east of the river, launching an attack near Vaux.

The French, too, are attacking in the Verdun region, according to Berlin, which announces an assault near Dead Man's Hill and another southeast of Hill 304. Both these attacks were broken up by German fire, it is declared.

The eastern front situation is growing more interesting with the advance of spring. All along the line the Russians are the objects of occasional sharp thrusts by the Teutonic allies. At present they seem to be content with standing off these attacks and are attempting no offensive. In one instance they failed to hold their line, however, according to Berlin, which reports the capture of 500 yards of a Russian position near Selburg.

Considerably increased activity is reported from the Balkans. There has been much firing by heavy artillery and some infantry clashes have occurred on the Macedonian frontier. Athens dispatches report brisk fighting north of Avlons, apparently indicating that the Austrians are about to move against the Italians and such other forces as may be assisting them in holding the Albanian seaport.

Much importance is attached in Petrograd to the Russian operations on the Mesopotamian frontiers, both north and east. In the latter sector the Russians have advanced from interior Persia to the frontier and have occupied Kasr-I-Shirin, about 110 miles northeast of Baghdad, their objective. They report the Turks fleeing before them and the capture of several guns during the pursuit.

Russians Repulse Attacks.

Petrograd (via London).—The following official communication was issued:

"North of the small town of Smorgen a body of Germans, after a heavy gun and rifle fire, began to mass before our wire entanglements, but met with an artillery fire which forced them to retire."

"Southeast of Pinsk enemy artillery has heavily bombarded the sector of our positions west of Piestchice. Near Czortorysk we brought down an enemy aeroplane and captured the aviator and observer."

Pressing Austrians Harder.

Berlin.—Increased activity on both the Italian and Galician fronts is reported by the Austrian War Office in a statement. The announcement follows:

"In Eastern Galicia and Volhynia there was increased activity on the part of advanced detachments. There were no events of special importance."

"On the Italian front the enemy, after a lively bombardment of portions of the Gorizia bridgehead and the Doberdo Plateau, made several attacks at San Martino. He was repulsed every time."

RASPUTIN DEAD, BERLIN HEARS.

Monk Reported To Have Influenced Czar Assassinated, Is Report.

Berlin.—Gregory Rasputin, the Russian monk who is reputed to have exercised great influence over Emperor Nicholas, has been assassinated, according to reports from Petrograd received in Bucharest, says the Overseas News Agency.

GERMANY ADMITS SUSSEX ATTACK

Regrets Torpedoing and Promises Indemnity.

FULL AND FRANK ADMISSION

U-Boat Commander Has Been Punished—Washington Accepts Assurances—Indemnities To Be Arranged Later.

Washington.—Germany, in a note received by the State Department by cable from Ambassador Gerard, admits that a German submarine torpedoed the channel steamer Sussex in violation of assurances given the United States, expresses regret for the incident, announces that the submarine commander has been "appropriately punished" and declares readiness to pay an adequate indemnity to Americans injured on the vessel.

Case Now Considered Closed.

It was indicated at the State Department that the German statement that the offending commander had been punished would be accepted and the Sussex case considered closed, except for arranging for the payment of indemnities to the several citizens of the United States who were hurt. There probably will be no attempt to negotiate for these indemnities or for final settlement of the Lusitania and other cases pending, however, until sufficient time has elapsed to indicate how the last American note was received in Berlin and whether the new submarine policy is being lived up to.

Results of an investigation based on facts supplied by the American Government, the German communication says, have shown that the contention originally set up that the explosion on the Sussex was to be traced to a cause other than a German submarine attack cannot be maintained. While asserting that the submarine commander thought he was dealing with an enemy warship, Foreign Minister von Jagow admits that he formed his judgment too hurriedly and therefore did not act fully in accordance with the strict instruction which called upon him to exercise particular care.

Officials of the State Department noted particularly the passage of the note which said "in view of these circumstances the German Government frankly admits that the assurance given the American Government, in accordance with which passenger vessels were not to be attacked without warning, has not been adhered to in the present case." This was regarded as indicating a purpose on Germany's part to decline to pay indemnities for Americans killed or injured in attacks on ships other than passenger liners prior to the date of the last note, in which the German Government promised that freight as well as passenger vessels would not be attacked without warning or without provision for the safety of persons aboard. Any response to the note just received probably will make a distinct reservation of American rights on this point.

GERARD'S SECRETARY COMING.

Joseph C. Grew's Visit Connected With Death Of Father.

London.—The Scandinavian-American Line steamer Frederick VIII left Copenhagen for New York. The steamer was crowded with passengers. Among those making the journey to the United States is Joseph C. Grew, secretary of the American Embassy in Berlin, who recently accompanied Ambassador Gerard to Emperor William's headquarters at the front.

TO ATTACK SUEZ CANAL.

Turkish Ambassador To Germany Says Preparations Are Being Made.

Amsterdam.—A dispatch from Berlin quotes Hakkı Pasha, Turkish Ambassador to Germany, as stating that the recent fighting in the Suez Canal region is only a prelude to other attacks on a great scale which will be made by the Ottoman troops when necessary preparations have been made.

SCOTT-OBREGON CONFERENCE OFF

Parley Breaks Up When Mexicans Take Stubborn Stand.

WITHDRAWAL INSISTED UPON

Signed Statement Issued Declaring That Conferences Were Marked By Good Will, But Obregon Appeared Vexed.

Brownsville, Texas.—Curtis Bayles, an American farmer, was shot and killed a short distance from his home, near Mercedes, Texas, by a band of four or five Mexicans, who succeeded in escaping, presumably to the Mexican side of the Rio Grande.

El Paso.—Eight men of the provost guard fired over the heads of a jeering little crowd of Mexicans in Chihuahuita, a district of the city inhabited by few except Mexicans. The squad of patrolling soldiers was met by some 30 men and boys, who supplemented a chorus of derisive remarks with a volley of stones. The non-commissioned officer ordered the crowd to disperse and then gave the orders to fire. The crowd dispersed. None was injured.

El Paso, Texas.—After almost two weeks of discussion the conference of Generals Hugh L. Scott, Frederick Funston and General Alvaro Obregon, Mexican minister of war, over American troop dispositions in Mexico, came to an end Thursday without any agreement being reached.

The whole matter was referred back to the American and de facto governments to be settled through diplomatic channels.

The situation is almost exactly where it stood before the conference began. The Mexican government still insists on the withdrawal of General Pershing's columns upon a certain date, and wants that date to come quickly. It is known that General Obregon has been willing to make concessions in order to reach an agreement with the American conferees. He has been overruled, however, by the First Chief, Venustiano Carranza, and his advisers. After practically conceding the demands of the American conferees, he was compelled to reverse his attitude.

The end of the negotiations came after two conferences had been held. The first began at 10 o'clock in the morning and lasted until 4 P. M., when a recess was taken until 4 o'clock to permit General Obregon to keep a lunch engagement. Sharp on the hour the discussions were renewed. After two hours and a half they were brought to an end. General Obregon, accompanied by Juan N. Amador, Mexican sub-secretary of foreign affairs, emerged from the private car occupied by Generals Scott and Funston, walked rapidly down the railway yards, climbed into his waiting automobile, and drove away.

General Obregon was accompanied to his machine by General Funston. The Mexican conferee's manner was abrupt and vexed, but General Funston smiled cheerily as he bade him goodbye.

Official Announcement.

General Funston re-entered the car. Then Col. Robert E. Lee Michie, aid to General Scott, came out and distributed copies of the following statement to the waiting newspaper men:

"We wish to announce that after several conferences, marked throughout with conspicuous courtesy and good will, in which conferences mutual impressions were exchanged and information was collected upon the military situation on the frontier, it was agreed upon by the conferees to suspend the conferences and report back to their respective governments in order that these may be able through their respective foreign departments to conclude this matter. That the ending of these conferences does not mean in any way a rupture of the good relations of friendship between the conferees nor between the respective governments."

(Signed) "A. OBREGON,
"H. L. SCOTT,
"FREDERICK FUNSTON."

WILSON TO STAY ON JOB.

Declines Invitations Because Of International Situation.

Washington.—President Wilson, because of the international situation, has decided to remain constantly in Washington for the next few weeks. He has declined several new invitations and decided he would break a tentative engagement to speak at Hampton, Va., this week at the dedication of a memorial building at Hampton Institute.

WOMEN WIN BY BOYCOTT.

Pittsburgh Bakers Restore The Old Price For Bread.

Pittsburgh.—Manufacturing bakers at a conference with a committee representing the women who declared a boycott and picketed bakeries in the Jewish quarter because the price of bread was advanced agreed to accede to the demands of the housewives and put the price back to the former figure. The boycott was at once declared off.

DIRECTORS MUST ANSWER TO STATE

State Banking Department Authorized To Bring Action In Case Of Negligence.

Harrisburg.—Where directors of a corporation under supervision of the State Banking Department decline to acknowledge communications from the Commissioner of Banking or to appear before the commissioner or Attorney General in reference to matters of management of such concerns which appear to require correction, such action is to be considered as warranting the institution of proceedings for their removal or for appointment of a receiver or both, according to an opinion given to Commissioner of Banking Smith by Deputy Attorney General Horace W. Davis.

The opinion was rendered in instances cited by the commissioner, where people connected with building and loan associations had declined to comply with requests or to acknowledge letters. The opinion points out the practices of the Attorney General's department to secure correction of abuses without resort to court proceedings and notes complaints that where directors have been negligent, individuals who have assumed the control refuse to comply with requests of the commissioner.

The opinion says it is fair to assume where answers are refused that such corporations are conducting their business in a manner "unsafe and unauthorized and certainly injurious and contrary to the interest of the public."

Must Kill Dogs or Defend Suits.

Commissioners of counties who have neglected or refused to order constables to destroy dogs which have not been assessed and registered in boroughs and townships, will be sued by the State for failure to comply with the dog law of 1903 and 1915. Arrangements were made with the Attorney General's department by the State Department of Agriculture and the State Game Commission for action at law.

The Attorney General's department has informed the Game Commission that the acts make it mandatory upon commissioners to enforce the law, complaint having been made that birds beneficial to farmers were being destroyed by wild dogs, while it also was found that one of the chief reasons why the Department of Agriculture could not secure more co-operation in raising of sheep was the number of wild dogs. Thousands of dollars have been paid to owners of sheep and other domestic animals destroyed or injured by dogs in the last year.

Constables who fail to kill dogs when ordered to do so will be taxed two dollars for every dog which other persons are employed to kill, but when the officers kill dogs they will be paid one dollar per dog.

To Push Suits For Insane.

Steps were taken at the Attorney General's office to push the suits brought for collection of cost of maintenance of insane persons whose estates or relatives are able to pay for their treatment and care in the State's insane hospitals, the Supreme Court decision removing the last barrier. The Supreme Court reversed the Delaware County Court, which had held the Act of 1915 unconstitutional. Over 100 suits are pending in various counties and hundreds more will be brought, as it is estimated that between \$4,000,000 and \$5,000,000 can be collected. Attorney General Brown has placed John H. Naylor in charge as special deputy attorney general.

Change Year For Railway Reports.

Arrangements were made by Chairman Alney, of the Public Service Commission, Freeman C. Gerberich, chief of the State Bureau of Railways, and Deputy Auditor General C. E. Wilcock whereby transportation and other public utility companies reporting to the Public Service Commission and the State Bureau of Railways will make reports for the calendar years instead of a year ending June 30.

Cancel Tobyhanna Camp.

The camp of instruction for artillery officers and enlisted men which was to have been held May 21 to June 8, at Tobyhanna, has been cancelled, it was announced from the Adjutant General's department, because the recall of the regular army batteries to the Mexican border made impracticable the instruction camp this year.

Last School Payments.

State Treasurer Young sent out the last of the checks for the 1914 school appropriation, payments having been retarded because of the heavy drain on the State Treasury. Approximately \$50,000 was paid out to thirty-two districts. The total appropriation amounts to something like five and a half millions.

Electric Charters Approved.

Approval has been given by the Public Service Commission to the applications for incorporation of the Connonquensing and Lawrence Hydro-Electric Companies, two of the largest water corporations to come before it. The companies will operate in Lawrence county and vicinity.

THE CENTRE REPORTER.

ISSUED WEEKLY.

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TERMS.—The terms of subscription to the Reporter are one and one-half dollars per year. ADVERTISING RATES.—Display advertising of ten or more lines, for three or more insertions, ten cents per line for each issue. Day advertising occupying less space than ten lines and for less than three insertions, from fifteen to twenty-five cents per line for each issue, according to composition. Minimum charge, seventy-five cents. Local notices accompanying display advertising five cents per line for each insertion; otherwise, eight cents per line. Minimum charge, twenty-five cents. Legal notices, twenty cents per line for three insertions, and ten cents per line for each additional insertion.

CHURCH APPOINTMENTS.

Reformed—Union, morning; Spring Mills, afternoon; Centre Hall, evening.
Lutheran—Tusseyville, morning; Centre Hall, afternoon; Spring Mills, evening.
Methodist—Smulton, morning, communion; Millheim, evening.
United Evangelical—Tusseyville, Saturday evening; Lemont, morning; Linden Hall, afternoon; Centre Hall, evening. Holy communion will be held at each appointment. Rev. C. L. Sones, of York, Pa., will officiate. Quarterly conference Saturday at 2:30 p. m.

THE COUNTY VOTE ON VARIOUS CONTESTS.

The following vote shows the result in the county on the most important contests for nomination:

DEMOCRATIC
United States Senator
Ellis L. Orris 1899
Eugene Bonniwell 104
Member National Committee
A. Mitchell Palmer 1082
Michael Liebel 307

REPUBLICAN
Representative in General Assembly
Harry B. Scott 1330
Cephas Gramley 755
Member of State Committee
J. Lynn Harris 1415
Herbert Ashman 570

The Vote in the Borough.

Seventy-two votes were polled in the borough at Tuesday's primary election, fifty-nine being Democratic and twenty-three Republican.

On the Democratic ticket Ellis L. Orris secured all but two of the entire vote, one voter failing to mark for the office of United States Senator. A Mitchell Palmer defeated Liebel for member of the National Committee by 45 to 11.

The vote in the two parties where there was a contest for the nomination was as follows:

DEMOCRATIC
United States Senator—
Eugene Bonniwell 1
Ellis L. Orris 57
State Treasurer—
James M. Cramer 14
Samuel Philson 43
Member National Committee—
Michael Liebel 11
A. Mitchell Palmer 45

REPUBLICAN
President of the United States—
Martin G. Brumbaugh 9
Theodore Roosevelt 4
Representative in General Assembly—
Harry B. Scott 14
Cephas Gramley 8
Member State Committee—
J. Lynn Harris 15
Herbert Ashman 6

On the non-partisan ballot Charles Palmer received fifty-six votes for Judge of the Supreme Court as against sixteen for Emory A. Walling.

Reorganizers Hold State Control.

Hon. A. Mitchell Palmer was again supported by a large majority of Democrats for National Committeeman from Pennsylvania against Michael Liebel, the political crook from Erie county. It was a signal victory.

It is further gratifying to state through these columns that Hon. Charles R. Kurtz, editor of the Centre Democrat, and surveyor of the Port of Philadelphia, managed the campaign in this state, having prepared the literature for the press and general distribution.

Death Claims One of the Twins.

Lena Marie, one of the twin daughters born to Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Mitterling six weeks ago last Saturday, died Tuesday afternoon at five o'clock, after a short illness followed by convulsions. Burial will be made this (Thursday) afternoon in the local cemetery.

"Movies" for Centre Hall.

Centre Hall is to have a first-class "movie" show, Mr. Russell Jury, of Bellefonte, having leased Grange Hall for showing pictures Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday nights. Attend the first show on Saturday night and see how well pleased you will be with the pictures. Admission 10 and 5 cents.

Charles Stephens.

Foster M. Charles, of Boalsburg, and Miss Emaline M. Stephens, of State College, were married at the Methodist parsonage at State College by Rev. J. M. Riley, Saturday afternoon. The couple began housekeeping in Boalsburg this week.

LOCALS

Palmer Dreese had a Bell telephone installed in his home last week.

Elwood Brooks, of Pleasant Gap, was in town on business last Thursday.

Miss Helen Luse, of the Bellefonte hospital, is home on a two weeks' vacation.

Two "movie" shows on Saturday night—the first begins at 7 o'clock and the second at 8:30. In Grange Hall; admission, 10 and 5 cents.

The first regular meeting of Center Chapter of the Eastern Star was held in Grange Arcadia, Monday evening. There was a good attendance of out-of-town ladies.

Mr. and Mrs. Foster M. Charles, of Boalsburg, spent Sunday—the day following their wedding—at the home of the latter's sister, Mrs. T. L. Smith, in this place.

Girl Wanted—A girl, 16 to 18 years of age, to do light work in a bakery, and make her home with the family. Address or telephone the Centre Hall Bakery, Centre Hall, Pa.

Thursday, June 22nd, has been set for holding the community picnic on Grange Park. Committees have been appointed and more definite announcement will be made later.

Commissioner W. H. Noll was in town Saturday morning to deliver the election ballots and supplies to the various judges in the Penns and Brush valley voting precincts.

Miss Ruth Margaret Ross, daughter of J. H. Ross, of Linden Hall, was in the class of ten nurses who graduated from the training school at the Altoona hospital, Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Armstrong and family, of Williamsburg, and Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Meek, of State College, spent Sunday at the home of the former lady's sister, Mrs. H. E. Homan.

Mrs. John Wegs, of Nanty Glo, and sister, Miss Amanda Krumbine, of Vintondale, daughters of J. H. Krumbine, are spending a few days as guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Kremer.

W. C. Horner, car builder for the Pennsy at Altoona, stopped off here Tuesday afternoon for a brief visit at the home of his cousin, Mrs. Edward E. Bailey, after a short vacation with relatives in Union county.

Mr. Jury, who begins the "movie" shows in Centre Hall on Saturday night, will give only first-class photographs that cannot fail to please all classes. Attend the opening of Centre Hall's first moving picture parlor on Saturday night.

R. U. Bitner and daughters, Martha and Grace, of Avis, spent Tuesday with the former's brother, Dr. H. F. Bitner, in this place. In the evening they made a trip in the latter's car to Spring Mills where another day was spent with relatives. Mr. Bitner is car inspector with the New York Central railroad and takes off very little time for vacation.

Mrs. C. Asher Stahl, of Altoona, was severely injured one day last week when she was struck by an automobile after leaving Luckett's meat market where her husband is employed. As she attempted to cross the street a touring car driven by a Mr. Shaffer rounded the turn and was upon her before she could move out of its way. She was thrown violently to the pavement, and rendered unconscious. She was severely cut about the face and limbs and blood flowed from her nose. While her condition was at first thought to be quite serious she is coming through all right, according to a letter received by Mr. and Mrs. James S. Stahl, parents of Mr. Stahl, in this place.

When it came to seeing Washington, on Sunday, possibly none of the excursionists were treated to a better view of the city generally, as well as to the numerous places of interest, as those who were under the care of Homer S. Ishler. Mr. Ishler is a son of Mr. and Mrs. George Ishler, of this place, and has been employed in the National Capital for several years. First, in the employ of the Civil Service Commission, then as a city postman, having one of the most select routes in the city, serving some of the most influential citizens and business houses. Owing to the strenuous work connected with this labor he resigned his position and since February has been in the Treasury Department where he holds a responsible clerical position. Mr. Ishler is going upward, lives in a fine home in the residential section of the city, and is prospering, as was evidenced by his possession of a touring car in which he took a number of his Penna Valley friends over the city for the entire day. He is contemplating taking a rather extended rest in the country, which still holds first place with him.

Marriage Licenses.
Orrie C. Harpster, Juniata
Hattie I. Wye, Jersey Shore
Foster M. Charles, Boalsburg
Emaline M. Stephens, State College
Robert Cummings, Rochester
Elizabeth Felzer, Howard
G. Ralph Walte, Altoona
Rhoda M. Reese, Port Matilda
Joseph L. Carpeneto, Bellefonte
Ethel M. Flack, Bellefonte

Pleasant Gap.

Mrs. James Bilger is spending a few days with her sisters at Altoona.

Mr. and Mrs. William Durkee are rejoicing over the arrival of a baby girl.

Mrs. G. W. Rose, of Bellefonte, spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Jonathan Bilger.

Miss Kathryn Parker, of Bellefonte, spent Sunday with Mrs. S. C. Hile and son.

Miss Bertha Rimmey is spending the summer with Mrs. Lloyd Sampson, at Buffalo.

If the butcher wishes to run a car he will soon learn that they don't understand horse language.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hoy, of Bellefonte, spent Sunday with friends at this place.

Miss Mary Corl has gone to Boalsburg to spend the summer with Miss Keller.

Harry Swartz, of Altoona, motored to Pleasant Gap last week in his new Dodge car.

Mrs. Arthur Rockroth and daughter Lila, of Niagara Falls, are visiting friends at this place.

Emanuel Zeigler and family, of Madisonburg, spent Sunday with Mrs. Zeigler's mother, in this place.

Ralph Riddle, of this place and Miss Roxie Bilger were united in marriage at Williamsport Thursday evening, May 11.

Mrs. Harvey Barnard, of Mill Hall, and Mrs. Julia Williams, of Lemont, spent part of last week at the Frank Milward home.

The party of young ladies who journeyed over the mountains to Centre Hall Sunday report having had a fine time.

David Rimmey, who tore the ligaments in one of his limbs while carpentering at the Western penitentiary, is getting along as well as can be expected.

Mr. Sheasley, who has been running the bakery at this place for some time, expects to go to work at State College this week. His business at this place will be taken care of by Harry Armstrong.

Aaronsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. William Wolfe were among the Washington excursionists on Sunday.

Miss Sallie Gulsewite is attending the big Rebekah gathering at Conneaut Lake, and while there is the guest of her uncle, Willard Wilt.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred D. Stover were Pine Creek visitors to the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Winkleblech and little daughter, Ruth and Hazel, spent a day near Centre Hall with the J. H. Detweiler family.

Walter Orwig, who has been employed for the past seven months in Akron, Ohio, is spending an indefinite time with his family. He has been on the sick list.

The following from Millheim were Sunday visitors in this town: Mr. and Mrs. Ira Gramley, Mrs. Emma Beaver and Mrs. Jennie Springer, the latter now living in Akron, Ohio.

Ex-Commissioner Harry Walter, of Swengle, Union county, was visiting his aged sister, Mrs. Edelmor, who has her home with her son-in-law, Gillard Eisenhauer.

Mr. Sara Leitzel accompanied her son Clayton, from the west, to visit friends in Snyder county; also her grandson, Dr. Charles Tomlinson, who lives in Milton.

Ernest Stover and son Ray went to the mountains last Wednesday and came back with six live young foxes. They have the taste for chicken well cultivated for they refuse to dine on any other form of food.

The many friends of Merchant J. F. Krape were sorry to hear that he had another severe spell on Sunday evening, suffering from hemorrhages of the intestines.

Those who were entertained on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Gulsewite were: Mr. and Mrs. McClellan, of Millheim; Mr. and Mrs. James Miller and daughter Kathryn, Mrs. Lucy Russell and daughter Gertrude, from Lewisburg.

Mrs. Lewis Stover and Mrs. Dame Luse of Coburn were to town to call on the latter lady's granddaughter, Mrs. F. Stover, who is very busy finishing dresses before Memorial Day. She has two assistants to help her with her work.

Linden Hall

J. L. Treasler made a business trip to Bellefonte on Monday.

Dr. Kent, who has been confined to the house during the winter, is very much improved and is able to be out.

Mr. and Mrs. John Reifsnnyder and daughter returned Monday from a week's visit among friends at Lamar.

J. H. Ross bought a horse at the horse sale at Rebersburg last week. It has been quite sick with the shipping fever but has taken a turn for the better.

Mrs. J. H. Rose and daughter Irene, Mrs. George Mothersbaugh, Miss Mildred Wieland, and Lynn Rose, composed a motor party who went to Altoona Tuesday morning to attend the commencement exercises of the Altoona hospital training school for nurses.

DIXON'S HEALTH TALK.

How State Aids Doctors in Rural Communities By Maintaining Free Laboratory.

To many minds the mention of a laboratory brings some haunting suggestion of flickering furnace fires and calabastic elgus. In the first dim morning of scientific endeavor knowledge protected itself from ignorance by a cloak of mystery. That has vanished. Science now stands close beside us ever ready to aid.

To the practicing physician the laboratory has become a necessity. There are numerous diseases which can be determined with absolute accuracy by means of laboratory tests and with less delay than is possible without this aid.

The basis of any successful treatment must be an accurate knowledge of the disease. This is why it is necessary for the physician to have recourse to the laboratory. It makes certain what would otherwise be in doubt.

With the microscope we can determine tissue changes which indicate disease and the chemist can determine the character of certain fluids of the body which are caused by diseases of the various organs.

Owing to the rapid advance in medical science laboratory work has become a specialty in itself. It is impossible for the practitioner in the majority of instances, or even the small hospitals throughout the State, to maintain well equipped laboratories with pathologists.

In Pennsylvania, the State Department of Health maintains a free laboratory to aid the practitioners in rural districts and municipalities too small to maintain their own.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the Public Service Commission of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania for the approval of a contract dated May 1st, 1916, between the BOROUGH OF CENTRE HALL, a municipality located in the County of Centre and State of Pennsylvania, party of the first part, and the STATE-CENTER ELECTRIC COMPANY, a Pennsylvania Corporation, party of the second part, for the lighting of the streets, alleys and public places of said Borough by electric lights, the hearing on which will be held in the rooms of the Commission at Harrisburg on the 25th day of June, 1916, at 2 o'clock p. m., when and where all persons in interest may appear and be heard if they so desire.

JOHN S. FISHER, Solicitor.

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JUSTICE OF THE PEACE
CENTRE HALL, PA.

Special attention given to collecting. Legal writings of all classes, including deeds, mortgages, agreements, etc. All legal business promptly attended to. Special attention given to settling of Estates, Marriage Licenses, Automobile Licenses, and all other Applications. Blanks kept on hand. Oct. 1916 p. 2.

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"That's smooth cream."
"You sure must use REAL cream in making this ice cream."

"That's the best made cream I ever ate."

These and many other similar expressions are made each day by people who try our cream for the first time. The second statement above tells the story—REAL CREAM—that's it, good ice cream can only be made with rich creamy cream, and that's all we use.

Try Some To-Day, By the Dish or Quart.

Centre Hall Bakery

"Where Good Goods Come From"

CHAS. PENNINGTON, Proprietor

REDUCTION WEEK

AT

The Centre Hall Pharmacy

Beginning today (Thursday) and continuing until Wednesday, May 24th, the following reductions will exist on a line of articles needed in every home:

25-cent Tooth Brush } BOTH FOR
25-cent Tooth Paste } 35c
(Powder or Liquid Tooth Wash)

Extra Fine Writing Paper } 20c
25c & 40c values, reduced to }

WE HAVE A COMPLETE LINE OF Fountain Syringes, Water Bottles and Ice Caps.

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Thinking of Building?

We're Here to Help You

DON'T rush headlong into the building game for you may have to be sorry when it is too late. Let us assist you in planning your needs for with our experience in this line of work every detail will have been worked out, including estimate of cost, before the actual construction is begun. Result—satisfaction to you by reason of a well-constructed building.

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All kinds of mill work done on short notice and with a guarantee of correctness. We will give special prices on Cypress and Yellow Pine Lumber, Sash, Doors, Window Frames, and Builders Hardware. We keep on hand all styles of moulding.

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Proprietors CENTRE HALL PLANING MILL CENTRE HALL, PA.

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in Ladies' and Gentlemen's Ready-for-Service Clothes interpret the prevailing mode, correctly, conservatively, and distinctively. They are not extreme or faddish—but they have a positive character that expresses good taste and good style.

For MAY month we received a new and handsome line of Women's & Children's Lingere Dresses EMBROIDERY, VOILES, ORGANDIE, etc. New Coats for warm days & cool ev'gs SILK POPLIN, EILLE, TAFFETA, etc.

We just unpacked a new and handsome line of

MEN'S CLOTHING

So many exclusive styles for the young men. Before buying your next suit look over our line.

Don't forget about our STRAWHATS

We have the line—Panamas, Milans, etc.

A beautiful array of Shoes and Oxfords

can be found in our store for men, women and children. Every style, color, or cut you may prefer at the most reasonable rates.

Ladies, we invite you to inspect our line of WAISTS

all the most up-to-the-minute styles for warm weather wear.

A complete line of WASH SKIRTS—

with a complete line for full dress wear.

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so we wish to have you purchase while the selections are complete. BUY NOW and supply your wants and wishes at

KESSLER'S DEP'T STORE

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"THE HOME OF GOOD VALUES AND MATERIALS"

No Better Printing Done in Centre County than at this Shop.

MAY COURT IN SESSION.

B. P. Swartz, who was convicted for extortion last February sessions, sentenced to Western Penitentiary.

Court convened Monday morning with the different officials in their respective places. A large portion of the morning session was taken up in hearing motions and petitions as presented by the several members of the bar.

The grand jury was called and sworn, H. C. Yeager, shoe merchant of Bellefonte, being selected as foreman, and after being charged by the court retired to the grand jury room.

The constables of the several wards and townships then made their quadrennial returns to the court.

The civil list of trials was then gone over and the following cases disposed of:

State-Center Electric Company vs. Toner A. Hugg, being an appeal, was transferred to the special week.

Friedilla A. Fye vs. Simon Zimmerman, a feigned issue, was continued at the costs of the plaintiff and was continued on account of the illness of a material witness.

The Kato Coal Company vs. Taylor Walker, John Anderson and Charles Herr, who were brought into court on a rule to show cause why an attachment should not issue against them for violation of a writ of estrepement. Charles Herr was discharged, John Anderson sentenced to pay the costs, one dollar fine and ten days in the county jail, and Taylor Walker directed to pay to the prothonotary until the final disposition of the case, the value of the coal removed from off of the premises and was given until Monday, the 22nd, to make such payment.

Commonwealth vs. Gray W. Croyle, indicted for desertion and non-support of wife and child. Prosecutrix, Margaret Croyle. The defendant plead guilty and was sentenced to pay the costs of prosecution and one dollar fine, and pay to his wife the sum of \$15.00 per month and give bond to carry out the terms of the sentence.

In the case of Commonwealth vs. B. P. Swartz, who was convicted for extortion at the February sessions, the defendant was called and sentenced to pay the costs of prosecution, one dollar fine and undergo imprisonment in the Western Penitentiary for not less than 10 years nor more than 15 years.

Commonwealth vs. T. A. Fye and W. E. Fye, indicted for larceny by sales; prosecutrix U. R. Shirey. Verdict on Tuesday afternoon of guilty.

Commonwealth vs. George Mothersbaugh, charged with assault and threats to kill, prosecutrix E. P. Van Akin and J. T. Irvin. The defendant on Saturday waived the finding of the grand jury and plead guilty, whereupon the court sentenced him to pay the costs of prosecution and further sentence suspended.

Commonwealth vs. George E. Horton, indicted for desertion and non-support of wife; prosecutrix Elsie E. Horton. Defendant's counsel moved the court for the discharge of the defendant on the plea of autrofois convict, the defendant having made arrangements under order of the court to support and maintain his child. The prosecutrix in further testifying that she was willing to live with her husband if he furnished her a home which the defendant accepted and the case was withdrawn for final disposition at September sessions in the event that the parties did not carry out the terms of the agreement made in open court.

Big Fire in Bear Meadows District.

One of the most disastrous forest fires the state has had for a number of years started on Monday of last week in the Seven Mountains back of Shingletown and due to the high winds and exceedingly dry weather raged uncontrolled for a week, burning over an area of 20,000 acres between Sand Springs and Hublers Gap on the second, third and fourth mountains in Huntingdon and Centre counties. The area of state land destroyed is probably 19,500 acres.

Three hundred men from the surrounding country sided by 400 to 500 students from State College fought the fire for seven days and six nights under the directions of Forester L. G. Barner, Forest Rangers Robert Reitz and William Harpster, and Fire Wardens W. A. Leeb, J. H. Jacobs and J. I. Reed. Mr. Harpster reports that two of his men were seriously burned. Unconfirmed reports state that two hunting camps were destroyed. As far as can be determined at the present time the fire was due to absolute carelessness, probably on the part of some fisherman or traveler in the woods. One little match has caused an incalculable loss. A rough approximation places the damage to young timber alone at \$20,000 to \$30,000. Add to this the loss of wild life which means a loss of sport to the hunters who frequent the district, the loss of the future value of the destroyed timber, the damage to the soil and the destruction of seeds and seedlings and the damage is beyond estimation. The cost of extinguishing this fire will probably exceed \$30,000.

A fine program has been arranged for the opening night—Saturday—of Centre Hall's moving picture shows. Do not fail to attend and enjoy these high-class photo-plays.

DEATHS.

Samuel Grenoble died at his home near State College Friday night as the result of a paralytic stroke sustained three months ago. He was born at Madisonburg, April 23, 1837. His parents, Philip and Hanna Spade Grenoble, were early settlers of Brush Valley. He was married to Miss Laura Carper and to this union two daughters and three sons were born: H. M. and Philip, of near State College, and George, at home. The daughters are dead. Three brothers survive: John, of Woodward; William, of Pleasant Gap, and Benjamin, in Kansas. He was a faithful member of the Reformed church, and a member of Washington Grange, P. of H., being its gatekeeper for a quarter of a century. The funeral took place Monday afternoon and was largely attended. Interment was made in the Pine Hall cemetery, Rev. S. C. Stover officiating.

Mrs. Amy Rubl McCool, wife of Charles McCool, died at her home in Spring Mills on Sunday afternoon after an illness which had kept her bedfast since Christmas. Funeral services will be held this (Thursday) morning in the Lutheran church and burial made in the Presbyterian cemetery, Rev. D. S. Kurtz officiating. She was aged about twenty-four years. Her husband survives with no children. Her mother, sister Mary, and brother Harry, at home, also survive her.

John Houck, a well known farmer of near Guyer, this county, died suddenly Friday evening. He had just put his team away in the stable and when he did not return to the house at the usual time his wife started in search of him and found him lying dead in the barnyard, having evidently started for the house when the death messenger overtook him. His mother, wife, several children, and some brothers and sisters survive him. Burial was made Monday afternoon in the Ross cemetery.

A telegram received by Philip Musser, of Millheim, on Tuesday, brought the message of the death that morning of J. C. McCloskey, at Logan, Utah. Mr. McCloskey was the husband of Mr. Musser's daughter, nee Miss Lida Musser. The body is being brought east for burial, interment very likely to be made in Bald Eagle valley, the former home of the deceased.

Fine Grove Mills.

Rev. S. C. Stover and D. Mothersbaugh are attending classes at Sunbury this week.

W. E. McWilliams, the R. D. carrier, has the auto fever. A Ford will affect a cure.

The deaths of John Houck and Samuel Grenoble are given in another column of this issue.

Owing to the late season farmers were too busy to talk politics so there was a light vote on Tuesday.

Ira Gates is receiving congratulations over the arrival of No. 10—a little farmer—at his home. Mother and babe are doing well.

The venerable Samuel Markle, after spending the winter with friends at the State capital, is back for the summer at the J. A. Fortney home.

Elmer Ishler is manipulating the wheel on a new Dodge. J. F. Meyers ordered a new 5-passenger Chevrolet machine.

Rev. Lewis V. Barber, the newly elected pastor of the Presbyterian charge, began his pastorate on Mother's Day. His installation will take place June 1st, when his father, Rev. Harnish and Dr. Martin will take part.

Stone Mill.

Earl Grove is assisting his brother Herbert on the farm.

Elsie Grove visited at the D. C. Roseman home on Friday afternoon.

Mrs. E. C. Harter visited at the William Lingle home on Friday.

Chester and Clarence Grove spent Sunday under the parental roof.

James Harshbarger spent Sunday with his brother, Elmer, at Egg Hill.

Charles Smith and wife spent Saturday evening at the Thomas Hosterman home.

Mrs. Harshbarger and granddaughter, Jessie, returned home after spending a week with the former's son.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Grove and Mr. and Mrs. James Harshbarger made a business trip to Bellefonte on Saturday.

Do You Know what—

Today is always the best day to clean up?

Fresh air, food, rest—these three combat tuberculosis?

The U. S. Public Health Service has reduced typhoid fever 80 per cent. in some communities?

Overeating, constipation, lack of exercise, foul air, eye strain, may produce headache?

Polluted drinking water causes many deaths?

An efficient health officer is a good community investment?

Bad teeth handicap children?

Insufficient sleep endangers health?

PENN HALL.

Ralph Shook and family made a trip to Brush Valley, Sunday afternoon.

Rev. and Mrs. M. D. Geesey took dinner at the home of Charles Bartges on Sunday.

Edna and Marion Neese spent Sunday at the home of William Sinkabine.

Mrs. George Shook and daughter Irma spent Sunday at the home of Charles Bartges.

Mrs. Jerry Albright and daughters spent Sunday at the home of Daniel Corman.

Carrie Neese, who is working at Coburn, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Neese on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Rice, from Virginia, visited friends—about here last week.

STATE AGRICULTURAL NOTES.

Reports from crop correspondents state that the clover meadows, wheat and rye have been very little damaged this spring by heaving and splendid crops are expected.

Reports from various sections of the State indicate that the Elberta peaches have been greatly affected by the changing weather conditions in January and February.

May 1 reports from all sections of the State show a decided gain in the prospects of a normal peach crop over the indications of a month ago. In Adams county, the center of the peach belt, the indications on May 1 were for 76 per cent. of a normal crop against 52 per cent. on April 1.

The Dairy and Food Bureau of the Department of Agriculture has started a crusade against maraschino cherries used in cocktails and as trimmings for ice cream "sundaes." It has been found upon analysis that many of the cherries contain sulphur dioxide which is prohibited by the pure food law.

Not True, But Very Odd.

An employee of a New York firm, it is said, after working for eight years, asked for an increase in salary.

"You don't work for us," said the manager, who proceeded to prove it by the following method of subtraction:

"There are 365 days in the year. You sleep 8 hours per day, making 122 days, subtracted from 365 leaves 243. You have eight hours' recreation each day, also making 122 days, leaving 121 days; there are 52 Sundays that you don't work, leaving a balance of 69 days; our store is closed every Saturday afternoon, giving 52 half holidays or 26 days that you don't work, making a balance after deduction of 43 days; we allow one hour each noon for lunch, making 16 days, or a balance of 27 days; we give two weeks' vacation during the summer, which leaves only 13 days; there are 12 legal holidays during the year that we are closed. This leaves only one day in the year and that is St. Patrick's day, and we don't keep open."

The fellow scratched his head, pondered a little while, and said: "Well, Mr. Boss, that's all very well, but what are you paying me for, any way?"

Reporter Register.

Miss Lizzie Yarger, Centre Hall
Mrs. W. B. Mingle, Centre Hall
J. Frank Bible, Centre Hall
Bond Bible, Centre Hall
Mrs. Jonas Bible, Centre Hall
R. W. Ripka, Centre Hall
R. U. Bitner, Martha and Grace, Avis
Ethel L. Loughner, Alma Lester, Spring Mills

Shannon Snook, a steel worker at the Standard works at Burnham, fell a distance of fifteen feet and landed on his head which struck an iron rail, causing a fracture which resulted in his death shortly afterwards. The accident happened Monday morning while he was repairing a big door.

MEN AND BOYS WANTED.—Good wages; steady work; bonus system.—Hayes Run Fire Brick Company, I. L. Harvey, treasurer. o.20.

N. A.'s Baseball Supplement.

Connie Mack and Pat Moran are the star contributors to The North American's twelfth annual baseball supplement, which appears May 21. These famous managers, in specially prepared signed articles, discuss the building of championship baseball teams, a subject which they should know, since between them they have produced in the last fifteen seasons more pennant winners than any other city has had.

In that interval Philadelphia has had six championships in the American League and one, in the National, as well as three world's titles. Father Penn, as the city of baseball supremacy, is the subject of the attractive first page in colors the work of Artie Morris Pancoast.

James C. Leaning, The North American's noted baseball humorist, presents an entertaining article, in which he deals with the foibles and personality of the fan. Joe Cunningham, cartoonist and conductor of the Bubbles Fuzzie Department, illustrates Mr. Leaning's articles. George M. Graham, sports editor of The North American, draws a picture of what happens on the bench during the excitement of big league contests, all the heat of play, the grim humor, the lightning flash of the player's mind, all being brought vividly to the mind of the reader.

Ross E. Kluftman is there strong with a couple of pages of school and college baseball. There is the usual roster of local clubs, announcements by the minor leagues and illustrated forecasts of many teams through the state.

Something new in the way of a contest is presented in which \$100 in prize is offered to fans who can identify the greatest number of former Philadelphia and athletic players, whose pictures are printed without their names. This test permits an interesting trial of memory and baseball loyalty.

Previous editions of The North American's baseball edition have always been sold out.

Cosmopolitan for June.

The June issue of Cosmopolitan Magazine will be of great interest to lovers of the theatre. In their "Life of Charles Frohman" Daniel Frohman and Isaac F. Marcovitch contribute an illustrated account of the stellar career of Olga Petrovna, Annie Russell and William Faversham under Charles Frohman. They also tell how the "Theatrical Syndicate" was formed.

SEED POTATOES FOR SALE.—The undersigned offers for sale a lot of choice seed potatoes of the Standard variety. There is no better yielding potato than the Standard.—J. W. MITCHELL, Centre Hall, Pa.

THE MARKETS.

GRAIN

Corrected weekly by Bradford & Son.

Wheat	1.05
Corn	.70
Oats	.65
Barley	.60
Rye	.70

PRODUCE AT STORES

Butter	.30
Eggs	.15
Lard	.09

MISCELLANEOUS ADVERTISEMENTS

HOUSE FOR RENT.—One half of the double dwelling house, located on East Church street, and containing seven rooms and bath, is offered for rent. Place will be vacated April 1st. If tenant desires, will put in electric light. Inquire of Mrs. H. J. LAMBERT, State College, Pa. Bell phone.

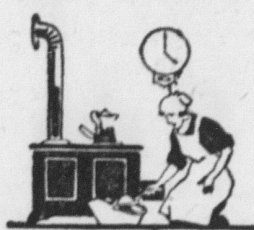
WANTED.—One of the large magazine publishing houses desires to employ an active man or woman in this community to handle a special plan which has proven unusually profitable. Good opening for right party. Address with two references, PUBLISHER, BOX 155, Times Sq. Sta., New York City. o.22

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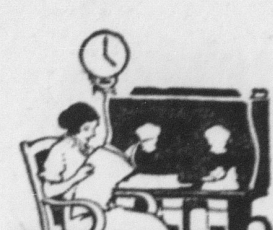
D. A. BOOZER, Centre Hall, Pa. All business pertaining to the appointment promptly executed.

PRIME REED BARLEY FOR SALE.—The undersigned has about 100 bushels of prime seed barley which is offered for sale. J. C. GOODHART, Centre Hall, Pa. Bell phone. \$1 p'd

GOOD AUTO BODY FOR SALE.—Body of Ford touring car; seats upholstered in genuine leather; top in fair condition; paint on body good. You can have it at a bargain, but come quick.—V. V. GOODHART, Centre Hall, Pa. Bell phone.



LESS WORK—More Done—Greater Leisure



You get up three meals a day, bake a cake or something of the sort. That, with the rest of your housework, eats up your day, gives you no leisure and leaves you completely fagged.

Now, it isn't the actual cooking that takes up so much time or that's so exhausting. No, it's looking after the kitchen range. Starting the fire, watching that this doesn't burn or that doesn't cook too slowly. And all the time you're standing over a roaring fire—a veritable drudge.

But with a New Perfection Oil Cook Stove you do less work, get more done and you have greater leisure.

For a moment after you light a Perfection burner you are ready to cook; no tiresome waiting, no wasted heat, no ashes to sift, no coal to carry, no wood to split.

A Perfection is always ready to boil, fry, bake, roast—to do any kind of cooking without any preliminaries.

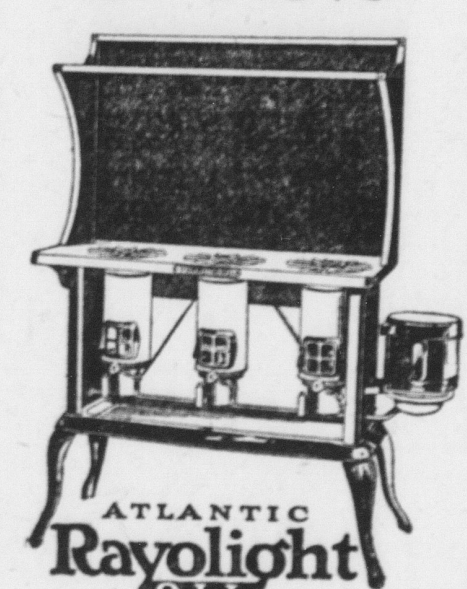
Have your dealer show you its fireless cooker, its separate oven and all its other refinements. And it burns kerosene, the cheapest of fuels—burns it slowly.

But don't be satisfied with just any kind of kerosene. For just as butter differs from oleo, Atlantic Rayolight Oil excels ordinary kerosene. So

to get best results from a Perfection, use Atlantic Rayolight Oil, for it's the kerosene that gives the most heat to the gallon, that burns without sputter, smoke or smell. That is always the same. Buy it from the dealer who displays this sign.

Costs the same as the unknown, unreliable kerosene.

New PERFECTION Oil Stove



THE ATLANTIC REFINING CO.



Philadelphia Pittsburgh

GET IN LINE

—FOR A—

New Straw Hat

The good of a man's head depends on what's in it.

The looks of a man's head depends on what's on it.

All the newest styles in straws in Sennets, Splits, Leghorns, Milans and Panamas, ranging in price from \$1.00 to \$5.00. They are as cool as a cucumber and light as a wafer.

Wear one and be comfortable.

MONTGOMERY & CO.

BELLEFONTE

Druggist Knows the Best Kidney Remedy

For more than twenty years I have been successfully selling Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root to my customers who were in need of such a medicine and they all speak in the highest terms of the good results obtained from its use. I know it is a good medicine for kidney, liver and bladder troubles and I never hesitate in recommending it to anyone who is in need of it.

Very truly yours,
W. H. MASON, Druggist,
Jan. 5th, 1916. Humboldt, Tenn.

Letter to
Dr. Kilmer & Co.,
Binghamton, N. Y.

Prove What Swamp-Root Will Do For You
Send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample size bottle. It will convince anyone. You will also receive a booklet of valuable information, telling about the kidneys and bladder. When writing, be sure and mention this paper. Regular fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles for sale at all drug stores.—Adv.

Sometimes the man who says just what he thinks has an impediment in his thoughts.

Dr. Pierce's Pellets are best for liver, bowels and stomach. One little Pellet for a laxative—three for a cathartic.—Adv.

Good looks may catch a man, but it takes good housekeeping to hold him.

A Neutral.

"Pa, what is a neutral?"
"One who has friends in both trenches."

Important to Mothers

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it bears the Signature of *Wm. D. Fitch* In Use for Over 30 Years. Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

Heard at the Intelligence Office.
"Do you know of any cook who will remain in the country?"
"Not unless she is buried there."—Judge.

How It Happened.

"I got bungled up dish-uh-way at de white folks' peace meetin' last night, sah."

"Go 'long! White folks wouldn't let a nigger fluctuate 'round their meetin'!"
"No, sah. But I was listenin' outside de open window and two gentlemen dat was tryin' to choke each udder to death done fell out onto me!"—Kansas City Star.

Rabbits Stall Stagecoach.

George Crowell, stage driver on the route from Austin to Potts, is authority for the statement that his team was stalled on the home trip at Hot Springs, east of Spencer, by an army of jack rabbits. He said they resembled a drove of sheep, and leaped into the tail sage when finally scared away. —Austin (Nev.) Dispatch to New York Sun.

The Front Row.

"The British army has raised its age limit to forty-five years," said H. E. Gresham, the British consul at Cleveland. "The age limit originally was thirty-eight."

"The army isn't so exclusive, either, as to age or as to physique as it was at first."

"A slacker in Manchester tried to get exempted the other day."

"I've got such poor eyesight," he said. "I can't see any distance at all."

"Oh, that'll be all right," said the surgeon. "You'll have an excellent view. We'll give you a trench in the very front line!"

MEAL-TIME CONSCIENCE.

What Do the Children Drink?

There are times when mother or father feeds the youngsters something that they know children should not have. Perhaps it is some rich dessert but more often it is tea or coffee.

It is better to have some delicious, hot food-drink that you can take yourself and feed to your children, conscious that it will help and strengthen, but never hurt them.

A Yorkstate lady says: "I used coffee many years in spite of the conviction that it injured my nervous system and produced my nervous headaches. While visiting a friend I was served with Postum and I determined to get a package and try it myself. The result was all that could be desired—a delicious, finely flavored, richly colored beverage. Since I quit coffee, Postum has worked wonders for me."

"My husband, who had suffered from kidney trouble when drinking coffee, quit the coffee and took up Postum with me and since drinking Postum he has felt stronger and better, with no indication of kidney trouble."

"You may be sure I find it a great comfort to have a warm drink at meals that I can give my children, with a clear conscience that it will help and not hurt them as coffee or tea would."

Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Postum comes in two forms:

Postum Cereal—the original form—must be well boiled. 15c and 25c pkgs.
Instant Postum—a soluble powder—dissolves quickly in a cup of hot water, and, with cream and sugar, makes a delicious beverage instantly. 30c and 50c tins.

Both forms are equally delicious and cost about the same per cup.

"There's a Reason" for Postum.

—sold by Grocers.

PALMER'S OPPONENT

KNIFED DEMOCRATIC AND HELP-ED REPUBLICAN CANDIDATES

Yet Michael Liebel, Jr., Aims to Represent the Pennsylvania Democrats in Their National Convention.

Michael Liebel, Jr., whose election to Congress from the Erie-Crawford district in 1914 was due in part to the Penrose machine, has aroused opposition to himself from Democrats of that district, where his record as the Democratic end of the bi-partisan machine is well known, by becoming a candidate for the Pennsylvania seat in the Democratic national committee against A. Mitchell Palmer, who, as a candidate for re-election, is supported by the Democratic state organization. According to the Corry Journal, which has published Liebel's record of opposing Democratic and supporting Republican candidates in that district, his political life, since he ostensibly switched from the Republican camp to become a professed Democrat, "has been devoted to tearing down and betraying the party and its candidates."

How Liebel is regarded in his home county and congressional district is indicated by the fact that many representative Democrats of that district are opposed to Liebel's candidacy and have declared themselves in favor of the re-election of National Committee member Palmer. A number of these gentlemen have represented the Democratic party either in an official capacity or as candidates on their party's ticket. Some of them are among the former candidates who felt the point of Liebel's dirk when he was aiding their Republican opponents. Liebel and Edward Huer, a wholesale liquor dealer in Erie, were active Republicans in Erie county about eleven years ago, when the failure of Republican leaders to invite them into a conference which had resulted in the selection of the Republican candidate for mayor aroused their ire. That incident was the beginning of Liebel's first profession of Democratic faith and marks the birth of the bi-partisan machine in Erie city and county, which is headed by Liebel on the one hand, and by Edward Huer, who has always claimed to be a Republican, on the other. Jointly they have undertaken to dominate the politics of Erie city and county ever since. This bi-partisan organization has at critical times succeeded in dominating the Democratic organization and hand-capping or preventing the election of Democratic candidates in almost every campaign.

John A. Reynolds, unanimously nominated by the Erie county Democrats for sheriff in 1907, was opposed by Liebel, who said that Reynolds had no business in being a candidate without consulting him, and the Republican candidate was elected. L. E. Torrey was nominated by the Erie county Democrats for judge in 1914, but Liebel supported the Republican candidate, who was elected. Mr. Torrey in filing his expense account, made a public record of the treachery. In 1913, Max B. Halbach was the Democratic nominee for sheriff, and the activity of the Liebel organization in behalf of the Republican candidate was so notorious that the Democratic nominee, who was elected despite the Liebel opposition, published a letter saying that although he had always been a Democrat and fairly won the nomination, he had "received absolutely no assistance of any kind from the present leaders of the so-called Democratic organization."

Andrew J. Palm of Meadville was the Democratic candidate for Congress in the Erie-Crawford district in 1906, but Liebel's organization opposed Palm and supported the Republican candidate. John B. Brooks of Erie, in 1908 and 1910, was the Democratic candidate for Congress in that district, and in each of those campaigns Liebel and his machine supported the Republican candidate. Turner W. Shacklet of Erie was the Democratic nominee for Congress in 1912. In the primaries the Liebel machine participated actively in behalf of a Republican candidate, Milton W. Shreve, against another Republican, Isadore Sobel, and in the general election the Liebel machine continued to support Shreve against the Democratic nominee. The Democrats of the district, after such experiences, produced no representative Democrat to seriously contest for the nomination for Congress in 1914. So Liebel became a candidate and was nominated. He had the support of the Republican bosses in both Erie and Crawford counties, and a former Republican congressman appealed for help for Liebel on the grounds that the latter had given him support in at least four of his campaigns. Through the aid of the Republican leaders and organization, Liebel was elected. But his reputation had preceded him to Washington, and now he stands as the only Democratic congressman who has been, as Mr. Palmer says, absolutely repudiated by President Wilson, who has not permitted Liebel to designate a single postmaster or other federal appointment in his own congressional district.

Liebel was opposed to the nomination of Woodrow Wilson for President by the Baltimore convention. He succeeded in persuading one Erie-Crawford delegate to disregard his instructions and pledge and vote against Wilson. Liebel did his utmost to induce

the other Erie-Crawford delegate to desert Wilson at the same time, but in this he failed. Liebel's candidacy against President Wilson's closest friend and adviser in Pennsylvania, A. Mitchell Palmer, is recognized as a distinctly anti-Wilson move on the eve of the Presidential campaign.

MARKING BALLOT, LOOK OUT

Especially As To Democratic Candidates for Delegates-at-Large.

On the Democratic primary ballot there will be no name of a candidate for alternate delegate-at-large except the twelve supported by the Democratic state organization, so that the Democratic voter will have, in this particular, nothing to do but vote for the entire twelve without danger of marking a wrong name. For delegates-at-large, however, there will be twenty-five names on the Democratic ballot, and the voter will vote for twelve of these. The names of all the candidates are arranged in alphabetical order, and therefore, the candidates supported by the state organization are not all bunched together, but, in the alphabetical order of their names, are intermingled with the other candidates.

Among the first thirteen in the list of candidates for delegates-at-large are only five of the candidates supported by the state organization. These are Messrs. Auten, Black, Dunn, Given and Glasgow. Of the last twelve names in the list there are, all together without a break, those of six candidates supported by the state organization—Messrs. Hindman, Lee, Lenahan, Lynett, McAvoy and McIntyre. Then comes a break of one name, after which follows the twelfth candidate of the Democratic state reorganizers—State Chairman Roland S. Morris.

There is opposition to other candidates of the state organization, but the principal danger point for the wary or uninformed voter, especially if not supplied with a marked sample ballot, or newspaper slip containing the right names marked, will be in the list of twenty-five candidates for delegates-at-large, leading off with two candidates under the letter "A" who are not with the reorganizers.

STATE ORGANIZATION'S MEN

Candidates Whom the Democratic Reorganizers Support.

There are thirty-three State-wide Democratic candidates supported by the Democratic State Organization for the Primary Election, as follows:

PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES
WOODROW WILSON, The White House, Washington, D. C.

UNITED STATES SENATOR
ELLIS L. ORVILE, Bellefonte, Centre County.

STATE TREASURER
SAMUEL B. PHILSON, Meyersdale, Somerset County.

AUDITOR GENERAL
JAMES B. MURKIN, Carlisle, Lackawanna County.

REPRESENTATIVES IN CONGRESS-AT-LARGE
JOSEPH T. KINSLEY, 5109 Arch street, Philadelphia.

JOHN J. MOORE, Plymouth, Luzerne County.

THOMAS ROSS, Doylestown, Bucks County.

JACOB B. WAIDELICH, Allentown, Lehigh County.

MEMBER OF THE NATIONAL COMMITTEE
A. MITCHELL PALMER, Stroudsburg, Monroe County.

DELEGATES-AT-LARGE TO NATIONAL CONVENTION
VORIS AUTEN, Mount Carmel, Northumberland County.

JERRE S. BLACK, York, York County.

HARRY J. DUNN, Reading, Berks County.

T. H. GIVEN, 2222 Wilkins avenue, Pittsburgh, Allegheny County.

WILLIAM A. GLASGOW, Jr., 121 South Twenty-second street, Philadelphia.

W. WAYNE HINDMAN, Clarion, Clarion County.

ROBERT E. LEE, Pottsville, Schuylkill County.

JOHN T. LENAHAN, Wilkes-Barre, Luzerne County.

EDWARD J. LYNETT, Scranton, Lackawanna County.

CHARLES D. McAVOY, Norristown, Montgomery County.

WILLIAM MCINTYRE, Sharon, Mercer County.

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VICTOR E. P. BARKMAN, Bedford, Bedford County.

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JOHN L. BUTT, Gettysburg, Adams County.

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S. L. GILSON, Erie, Erie County.

R. M. MATSON, Brookville, Jefferson County.

NORRIS B. SLACK, West Chester, Chester County.

JOHN F. STONE, Coudersport, Potter County.

LIEBEL SILENT ON

CHARGES OF KNIFING

Michael Liebel, Jr., criticising National Committeeman Palmer's assertion that Liebel could not, under any circumstances gain recognition as a Democratic congressman or Democrat from President Wilson, does not deny Mr. Palmer's declaration that the Erie congressman now aiming to be national committeeman has been utterly repudiated by the President on account of Liebel's part in running the bi-partisan machine of Erie county, and not permitted to designate a single postmaster or other federal appointment in his congressional district. Mr. Palmer takes the ground that the Democrats of the state will not elect as their national committeeman a man whose record of about eleven years as a professed Democrat proves, through his knifing of Democratic candidates and support of Republican nominees in his home county and congressional district, that he is an enemy of the Democratic party and a valuable helper of the Penrose Republican machine. Mr. Liebel is silent also on the charges of his having made Democratic candidates suffer from his dirk.

SPLIT AIDS DEMOCRATS

PENROSE'S CONTEMPT FOR BRUMBAUGH'S PRESTIGE IN STATE

Bitterness of Factional Fight of Republican Machine Elements Unequaled Since Quay's Failure to Be Re-elected.

Probably no other fight between Republican factions of Pennsylvania, at least since the time of Quay's unsuccessful effort to be re-elected to the United States Senate in 1899, was so intensely bitter as the conflict now waged between the Vane-Brumbaugh and the Penrose-McNichol wings of the Republican machine. It is not likely that the wounds inflicted by each faction upon the other can be healed this year, and therefore, the Democrats of the state may reasonably count upon being helped in their campaign by conditions other than the bright prospect which their party gains from the extraordinary strength of President Wilson as a candidate for re-election. Additional advantages to the Democrats are probable as a result of the severity with which the Republican factional leaders, from Senator Penrose and Governor Brumbaugh down, are assailing one another with ugly charges and cutting personalities.

Penrose belittles Brumbaugh in a sneering manner which, if not unprecedented in attacks of bosses against governors, is unusually startling in the boldness of its expression of contempt for the prestige of the chief executive of the state. The Senator declares that the vote for the governor as a nominal candidate for President of the United States "will be so slight as to be negligible, and the governor will be overwhelmingly defeated in his candidacy for delegate-at-large," to the national convention. Brumbaugh, the senator declares, is not in good faith as a candidate for the Presidency, and his candidacy was discredited at the outset.

Brumbaugh rather feebly hits back by saying that he is "not a candidate for any office" and then, inconsistently asking the voters to approve the stand he has taken for the primary ballot, in order that "some parties" whom he does not name shall not succeed in their endeavor to retain control of the broken parts of the party machine. The governor has done his share toward disrupting the Republican machine by tying himself fast to the Vane contractor-politicians, at whose dictation he has made his appointments to public offices. Brumbaugh's claim of aiming to harmonize his party cannot be reconciled with his course so far as governor.

The Penrose camp's prediction that Brumbaugh will make only a perfunctory campaign for a primary vote for delegates pledged to support the "popular choice" of their party for President, would seem to be in some degree sustained by the cutting down of the itineraries that were arranged for the governor. Brumbaugh, however, appeals for support for "instructed" national delegates. His name will be the only one on the Republican primary ballot for President, and, therefore, any vote that he may receive may be interpreted by his friends as entitling him to support from the candidates pledged to the "popular choice."

The Democrats of the state may not perceive any more merit in the professions and doings of one Republican faction than in those of the other machine wing, and will hope that this factional cleansing of soiled linen may result in benefit to the state by further improving the Democratic prospect in the Presidential campaign.

THE TEST OF REAL DEMOCRACY.

(Pennsburg Town and Country.)
Palmerism is not a test of loyalty—so argues the Philadelphia Record editorially. Wilson Democrats would like to know by what species of logic the Record can prove that Liebelism is such a test. Palmerism may not be a perfect "ism," but the majority of Democrats in Pennsylvania in the 1914 primary seemed to prefer that "ism" to Gaffneyism, Hallism, Mulvihillism, Ryanism, Penroseism, Donnellyism and any other smaller "isms," including annexism.

VENANGO DEMOCRATS SOLID FOR PALMER

The contest between Palmer and Liebel for member of the Democratic national committee from Pennsylvania is being actively conducted and great effort is being expended in behalf of each contestant. In Venango county the Democrats are solid for Palmer.—Venango Spectator.

DON'T BE MISLED.

Democrats should not be misled by the misrepresentation of such papers as the Philadelphia Record. The policy of the Record has ever been to find fault with the existing organization, no matter who was at its head, and while it harps about "party harmony," it never loses an opportunity to promote discord in the party ranks.—Perry County Democrat.

Unusual.

Speaking of long memories, a writer in the Boston Globe says: "I can remember my grandmother when nineteen months of age."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

STATE NEWS BRIEFLY TOLD

The Latest Gleanings From All Over the State.

TOLD IN SHORT PARAGRAPHS

If Samuel S. and Charles M. Couffer, sons of Samuel Couffer, formerly proprietor of the Couffer House, Steelton, lead "temperate, decent, law-abiding lives" they will share between them the income of their father's estate, amounting to \$235 monthly for each. When either of them, in the opinion of the Steelton Trust Company, ceases to live thus, his patrimony will be just thirty-five dollars a month.

Judge Wilmer in United States Court at Sunbury sentenced William Phillips, Harrisburg, and Harry Price, Scranton, found guilty of violating the Harrison Drug Act, to one year and one day each in the Federal Prison at Atlanta, and William Burns and Albert Wise, Harrisburg, to four and six months, respectively, in the Dauphin county jail for the same offense.

The Grand Castle, Knights of the Golden Eagle and Ladies of the Golden Eagle, adjourned at Reading after the installation of officers. The new grand chief of the Grand Castle is John F. Bromley, Philadelphia, and the grand templar of the ladies' order is Mrs. Mary Hixler, Harrisburg. Next year's convention of the Grand Castle will be held in Allentown.

By a vote of 22,337 to 14,763, miners of the Second District, United Mine Workers of America, ratified the Philadelphia scale, which means that approximately 175,000 miners of the Central Pennsylvania District will not strike. Many mines, idle while the vote was being taken and counted, will resume operations at once.

Judge Witmer in Federal Court sentenced John B. Beigle, of Wilkes-Barre, to nine months in jail and \$200 fine when he pleaded guilty to robbing his own office. Beigle broke the safe and door at his store and made it appear as if the place had been robbed. He went to Canada, but later returned and surrendered.

The coke trade is making no recovery from the blow it received during the Easter holidays, many workmen still insisting on two days' rest out of every seven. The recent wage advance has had no influence on the labor supply, which is so curtailed that production is kept down to 410,000 tons a week.

Nearly one hundred women attended the county convention of the Woman Suffrage party at Norristown. The speakers included Mrs. Anna Orme, of Wayne; Mrs. George Piersol, Philadelphia; Mrs. George Bean and Mrs. Edgar Gardner, of Cynwyd; Mrs. M. E. Snyder, Ardmore, and Ethel Sprigley, Lansdowne.

Fragments of rock hurled over one thousand feet from an overcharge of dynamite in a quarry near Centerville, killed Benjamin Rice, five years old, and severely injured Robert Eckenrode, fourteen years old. Workmen were hurled to the ground and injured by the explosion which came through a double charge placed by mistake.

Merchant coke operators are meeting the recent 5 and 10 per cent. wage increase of the H. C. Fricks Coke Company. It is the second advance this year, and coal and coke authorities say it constitutes the highest wage for like labor paid in the world.

Fifty women who are ready to do their "bit" in the event of war organized the State College Chapter of the Pennsylvania Women's Division for National Preparedness. Mrs. Anna W. La Dornus, of Chester, State organizer, was in charge of the meeting.

Following the tie-up of several collieries recently, owing to employees objecting to a new time schedule, the Susquehanna Coal Company's Hickory Swamp employees went on strike along with many workmen at the P. & R. C. & L. Company's Bear Valley Colliery.

Harrisburg's Council raised the minimum wage for common labor employed by the municipality from 16 2/3 to 17 1/2 cents an hour. City improvement work has been greatly hampered because of the scarcity of labor.

C. D. Markel, of East Salem, Juniata county, dealer in general merchandise, has written to Mayor Ezra S. Meals, of Harrisburg, for a license to sell pot skunks on the street. He will have them in a glass cage, he explains.

Arrests of four merchants in Philadelphia were ordered by the State Dairy and Food authorities for the sale of cherries used in sundaes which were not in accord with State food regulations.

The Harrisburg School Board voted an increase in the tax rate from 8 1/2 to 10 mills. The board is short by \$30,000 for the year and there is a deficit of \$100,000.

Why That Lame Back?

Morning lameness, sharp twinges when bending, or an all-day back-ache; each is cause enough to suspect kidney trouble. Get after the cause. Help the kidneys. We Americans go it too hard. We overdo, overeat and neglect our sleep and exercise and so we are fast becoming a nation of kidney sufferers. 72% more deaths than in 1890 is the 1910 census story. Use Doan's Kidney Pills. Thousands recommend them.

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26 children were poisoned last year in only 12 states

Fly Poison Kills More Children Than All Other Poisons Combined

For Safety's Sake, Use

Is there in your home, anywhere within baby's reach, a saucer of arsenic poisoned paper floating in water, or a can with a sweetened poisoned wick?

During 1915, 26 cases of fly poisoning were reported from 11 states; in 1914, 46 cases from 14 states. Fly poison kills more children than all other poisons combined.

Yet fly poison still is left unguarded except in the homes where mothers have learned that the safe, sure, non-poisonous, efficient fly catcher and destroyer is

TANGLEFOOT



The Journal of the Michigan State Medical Society comments this in a recent issue: "Symptoms of arsenical poisoning are very similar to those of cholera infantum; undoubtedly a number of cases of cholera infantum were really cases of arsenical poisoning, but death, if occurring, was attributed to cholera infantum."

"We repeat, arsenical fly destroying devices are dangerous and should be abolished. Health officials should be urged to prevent further loss of life from their source. Our Michigan Legislature, this last session, passed a law regulating the sale of poisonous fly papers."

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Felt Sorry for the Apostle.
Mrs. Podger, a Lancashire woman, has several sons at the front. Recently a neighbor, superior to her surroundings by education and rearing, called on her, and as they talked of Saloniki, where one of these sons was, she remarked that the Salonikians were the Thessalonians to whom St. Paul had sent a letter. "Well," said Mrs. Podger, as she looked up from her washtub, "I may have written there: 'I'm sorry for 'im if 'e didn't. But I'm sorry for 'im if 'e sent parcels. I sent two to my boy months since, and they ain't been delivered yet.'"—London Mail.

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Strategy.
"How in the world do the Thompsons manage to keep their maid so long? She's been with them nearly a year, and we haven't been able to keep one over a month since we moved out here to Lonesomehurst."
"That's easy. Thompsons don't pay the maid her wages, and she can't get back to town unless she walks."

The Knock.
"Tomkins has knocked about the world quite a bit, hasn't he?"
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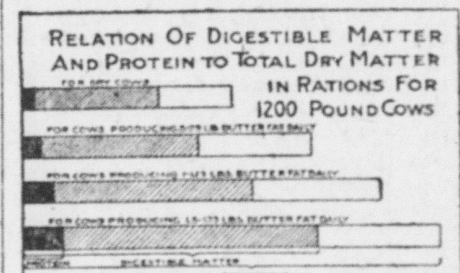
FEED COWS FOR MILK

Production and Size Are the Determining Factors.

Each Animal Should Be Given as Much Roughage as She Will Eat Up Clean—Avoid Increase in Body Weight Above Normal.

In the management of the modern dairy it should be the aim to surround the cows with conditions most conducive to a large and economical production of milk and butterfat in each individual case. Each cow should receive as much roughage as she will eat up clean and a portion of this should preferably be of a succulent nature, like grass, silage, soiling crops or roots. Of concentrates it has been found a good working rule to feed as many pounds of grain feeds per day to each cow as she produces pounds of butterfat a week, or one-fourth to one-third as much grain as she gives pounds of milk daily, the amount depending upon the per cent of butterfat in the milk. In the case of cows producing milk with a low per cent of fat, one-fourth would be required. Care should always be taken to avoid an increase in body weight above the normal for each cow, since the milk secretion, as a general rule, is likely to suffer when cows commence to utilize their feed for the formation of body fat.

It follows from what has been said that no two cows in the herd can be fed exactly alike under this system of



Production and Size Are the Factors Determining the Food Requirements of Dairy Cows—The Amounts of Dry Matter and Digestible Protein Should Increase in Proportion to the Production of Butterfat.

feeding. Each cow must receive individual attention and be fed according to her special requirements. It is possible, however, to lessen the labor incident to regulating the feed supply in accordance with the requirements of the individual cows by adapting a general grain mixture which will serve the needs of most of the cows in the herd. This may be placed in a cart and weighed or measured out from the same to each cow in the stable.

JUDGMENT IN SHAPING TREES

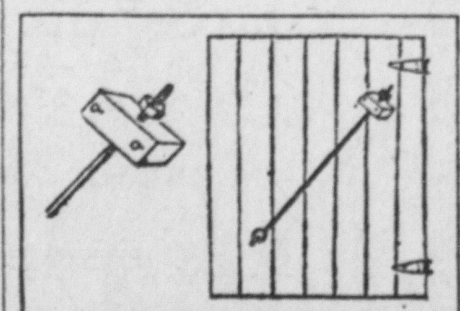
Care Should Be Exercised Not to Cut Away Any Portion Which May Affect Appearance.

In shaping the trees, the orchardist must use his own judgment largely. Where the trees are very small care should be exercised not to cut away any portion of the tree which may affect its appearance in the future. Beginners should not start on young or small trees, for mistakes on them are always costly. If you observe a serious fork in the young tree, it should be remedied at once by cutting away the one which you think will not make the best producer. If such a defect is remedied early in the lifetime of a tree it will scarcely be noticeable later, but to allow it to remain for any length of time is to injure and deform the tree permanently.

REMEDY FOR A SAGGING DOOR

Old Wagon Rod and Staple, Arranged as Shown in Illustration, Will Prove Satisfactory.

For a door that has sagged, writes John Reagan of Minnesota in Nebraska Farm Journal, put the ring of the rod at the bottom of door and run



Cure for Sagging Door.

the staple through it. Run the other end of rod through a block fastened near the top of the door, put on the burr and tighten.

MANAGEMENT OF BROOD SOWS

Properly Fed and Handled Mature Animal Will Keep Better If She Has Two Litters Yearly.

Two litters a year mean two dividend periods for the hog raiser each year, instead of one. Properly fed and handled, a mature sow will keep in better breeding condition and will give her owner more years of profitable service if she has only one litter a year than if she has two.

To do this, she must be fed while pregnant a full supply of bone, blood and muscle-making feeds, in order that the development of the unborn pigs will not weaken her by taking these materials from her own body.

MILK LIKELY TO BE BITTER

Trouble May Appear at Any Time and Is Almost Sure to Result From Three Causes.

Milk is especially likely to be bitter in the spring, but this trouble may appear at any time. It is almost sure to result from (1) eating the last remaining weeds in closely grazed pastures, (2) bad health of the cow, or (3) the growth of bacteria in the milk. The cure in each case consists in finding and removing the cause and suggestions for doing so are made by Percy Werner, Jr., of the Missouri college of agriculture.

If the milk becomes bitter after standing, it is not the cow's fault, but results from the growth of bacteria brought in by particles of dirt or manure or left in improperly cleaned vessels. If the milk of all cows in the herd is bitter when drawn, the feed is probably at fault, and the bitter taste will probably disappear if the cows are kept in a lot where they cannot get at weeds. This will give the pastures a better chance to get a good start. If only one or a few of the cows give bitter milk, it is probably because they are in bad health or going dry, and their milk should be kept away from the rest so that it will not spoil the whole milking.

PULLET TROUBLES IN SPRING

Many Young Fowls Lost From Eversion of Oviduct—Watch for Bloody Eggs in the Nests.

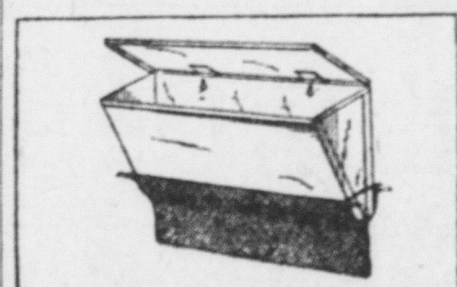
A number of hens, and especially pullets, are always lost in the spring from the trouble known as eversion of the oviduct. If you see one of your birds walking about with a halting gait, and upon closer examination find the lower portion of the oviduct protruding from the vent as a mass of red or purplish tissue, you can recognize it as the above trouble. If you notice many bloody eggs in the nests, watch for it. If you see other hens following another and picking at the vent, look out for this trouble.

It may be caused by extra strain of the muscles and tissues of the walls of the oviduct, in the laying of double-yolked eggs, or very large eggs, or due to an obstruction in the oviduct. Unless discovered immediately after it occurs the best treatment is to kill the bird.

POULTRY DUSTER IS USEFUL

Fowls Dust Themselves With Germicide as They Enter or Leave Henhouse—How It Works.

When in use, this duster is mounted above the door of the henhouse or coop and the hens dust themselves with germicide as they enter or leave. There is a slot in the bottom of the hopper which is covered by



Poultry Duster.

a V-shaped wire mesh funnel, inside of which there is a strip of wire mesh, extending up into the germicide. When the back of the hen moves the funnel, the germicide is dusted among the feathers.—Wisconsin Agriculturist.

SUCCESS IN GROWING CLOVER

Add Lime, Phosphorus and Potash to Soils Needing Them—Give the Seed a Fair Chance.

The principles of successful clover growing may be summarized as follows:

Give the clover a chance to make a healthy plant by adding lime, phosphorus and potash to soils that need them. In some way add vegetable matter to the soil and keep up the supply by turning under clover often enough.

Give the seed a fair chance by placing it in mellow soil and covering it from one-half to one inch deep.

If sown with a nurse crop, give the young plants a chance by not seeding the grain crop too thickly, by top-dressing with manure if practicable, and by cutting the stubble as high as possible.

THICK CREAM IS PROFITABLE

More Skimmilk Left on Farm to Feed to Hogs, Calves and Poultry, Says Ohio Bulletin.

Farmers will make more money by separating a reasonably thick cream than a thin cream, according to dairy department, Ohio state university. Skimming highest cream leaves more skimmilk on the farm to feed to the hogs, calves and chickens. Skimmilk utilized in this way has a feeding value of about 35 cents per hundred, while, if the milk is left in the cream, nothing is realized.

The buttermaker usually wants a cream testing around 35 or 40 per cent butterfat. In the winter, if the cream is above 40 per cent, it is rather difficult to get the cream all out of one can into another or into a vat. Cream testing about 35 per cent in the winter and 40 per cent in the summer is right for butter-making.

THE MARKETS

NEW YORK.—Wheat—Spot weak; No. 1 Durum, \$1.28½; No. 2 hard, \$1.23; No. 1 Northern Duluth, \$1.33, and No. 1 Northern Manitoba, \$1.31½ f o b New York.

Corn—No. 2 yellow, 90½c c i f New York.

Oats—Standard, 51½@52½c.

PHILADELPHIA.—Wheat—Car lots, in export, No. 2 red, spot and May, \$1.18½@1.20½; No. 2 Southern red, \$1.16½@1.18; do do, steamer No. 2 red, \$1.15½@1.17½; do do, No. 3 red, \$1.15½@1.17½; rejected A, \$1.12½@1.14½; do do, rejected B, \$1.09½@1.12½.

Corn—Car lots for local trade, as to location, No. 2 yellow, 84@84½c; do do, steamer yellow, 83@83½c; do do, No. 3 yellow, 82@82½c; do do, No. 4 yellow, 80@81c; sample yellow, 76@78c.

Oats—No. 2, white, 51½@52c; standard white, 51@51½c; No. 3 white, 50@50½c; No. 4 white, 48@49c; sample, 46@46½c; purified oats, 50@50½c.

Butter—Western solid-packed, creamery, fancy, specials, 35½c extras, 33½@34½c; firsts, 33c; seconds, 32@32½c; nearby prints, fancy, 37c; do do, average, extras, 36c; do do, firsts, 34@35c; do do, seconds, 33@33½c; jobbing sales of fancy prints, 40@42c.

Eggs—Nearby extras, 26c per dozen; nearby firsts, \$6.90 per standard case; do do, nearby, current receipts, \$6.60 per case; Western extras, 24@25c per dozen; do do, Western, extra firsts, \$6.75 per case; do do, firsts, \$6.60 per case; Southern, \$6.15@6.45 per case.

Live Poultry—Fowls, 19@20c; roosters, 12@13c; spring chickens, according to quality, weighing 1½ pounds apiece, 34@35c; do do, white leghorns, according to quality, 30@34c. Ducks, as to size and quality, 18@20c. Geese, 17@19c; pigeons, old, per pair, 25@20c; do do, young, per pair, 20@22c.

Cheese—New York, full cream, fancy, held, 19@19½c; specials, higher; do do, fair to good, held, 18@18½c; do do, part skims, 17@15c.

BALTIMORE.—Wheat—No. 2 red, spot and May, 115½c; No. 2 red Western, spot and May, 116c.

Corn—Prime sail yellow corn for domestic delivery is quotable at 85@86c per bu for car lots, on spot; market firmer.

Oats—Standard white, 51½@52c; No. 3 white, 50@50½c; No. 4 white, 47½@48c.

Rye—No. 2 rye, Western, \$1.02@1.03½; No. 3 do, 98@98½c; No. 4 do, 97@97½c; bag lots, nearby, as to quality, 80@88c.

Hay—No. 1 timothy, \$23.50; No. 2, do, \$22@22.50; No. 3, do, \$19@20.50; light clover mixed, \$22; No. 1, do, \$21@21.50; No. 2, do, \$17@20; choice clover, nominal, \$19.50; No. 1, do, \$18.50@19; No. 2, do, \$14@16; No. 3, do, \$12@14.

Straw—No. 1 straight rye, \$14.50@15; No. 2, do, \$12.50@13; No. 1 tangled rye, \$11@11.50; No. 2, do, \$10@10.50; No. 1 wheat, \$9.50; No. 2, do, \$8@8.50; No. 1 oat, \$11; No. 2, do, \$10@10.50.

Butter—Creamery, fancy, 35@36c; do, choice, 12@33c; do, good, 31@32c; do, prints, 35@36c; do, blocks, 34@35c. Ladies, 26@27c; Maryland and Pennsylvania rolls, 26@27c; Ohio rolls, 25@26c; West Virginia rolls, 25@26c; storepacked, 24@25c.

Cheese—Jobbing lots, 19@20c.

Eggs—Maryland, Pennsylvania and nearby firsts, 21c; Western firsts, 21; West Virginia firsts, 21; Southern firsts, 20.

Live Poultry—Chickens, old hens, 4 lbs and over, 19@20c; do, old hens, small to medium, 19@20c; do, old roosters, 11@12c; do, spring, 1½ lbs and over, 37@38c; do, smaller, 32@35c; do, large, rough and stagsy, 19@20c; ducks, Pekings, 2 lbs and over, 18c; do, puddle, do, do, 17c; do, muscovy, do, do, 16c; do, smaller, 15c; pigeons, young, per pair, 30c; do, old, do, 30c; guinea fowl, old, each, 40c.

Live Stock

PITTSBURGH, PA.—Cattle—Choice, \$8.80@9.35; prime, \$9.50@9.75.

Sheep—Prime wethers, \$7.80@8; culls and commons, \$4@4.50; lambs, \$7@10.35; veal calves, \$9.50@10.

Hogs—Prime heavies and mediums, \$10.05@10.10; heavy Yorkers, \$9.90@10.05; light Yorkers, \$9.40@9.50; pigs, \$8.50@8.75; roughs, \$8.75@9.10.

KANSAS CITY.—Hogs—Bulk, \$9.60@9.80; heavy, \$9.75@9.87½; packers and butchers, \$9.70@9.80; light, \$9.50@9.70; pigs, \$8.50@9.

Cattle—Prime fed steers, \$9.35@9.75; dressed beef steers, \$8.92@9.25; Southern steers, \$7.25@9; cows, \$5.50@8.35; heifers, \$7.25@9.50; stockers and feeders, \$7@8.85; bulls, \$5.75@7.50; calves, \$6.50@10.50.

Sheep—Lambs, \$11@11.60; yearlings, \$9.75@10.75; wethers, \$8.75@9.50; ewes, \$8@8.85.

CHICAGO.—Hogs—Bulk \$9.70@9.85; lights, \$9.35@9.95; mixed, \$9.50@9.90; heavy, \$9.35@9.90; rough, \$9.35@9.50; pigs, \$7.25@9.

Cattle—Native beef steers, \$7.90@9.95; stockers and feeders, \$5.90@8.65; cows and heifers, \$4.25@9.50; calves, \$6.25@9.50.

Sheep—Wethers, \$6.90@9.30; ewes, \$5.25@9.10; lambs, \$7.75@11.85.

ST. LOUIS.—Hogs, pigs and lights, \$7.50@9.85; mixed and butchers, \$9.65@9.90; good heavy, \$9.85@9.90.

Health for Sick Women

For Forty Years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Has Been Woman's Most Reliable Medicine—Here is More Proof.

To women who are suffering from some form of woman's special ills, and have a constant fear of breaking down, the three following letters ought to bring hope:—



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Roxbury, Mass.—"I was suffering from inflammation and was examined by a physician who found that my trouble was caused by a displacement. My symptoms were bearing down pains, backache, and sluggish liver. I tried several kinds of medicine; then I was asked to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It has cured me and I am pleased to be in my usual good health by using it and highly recommend it."—Mrs. B. M. Osmond, 1 Haynes Park, Roxbury, Mass.

If you want special advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential) Lynn, Mass. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.

Appropriate.
"Can you suggest a good motto to hang up in the dining room?" asked the boarding house mistress.

"How about 'Forgive us this day our daily bread?'" suggested the man who was going to move the next day anyhow.

REMARKABLE LETTER FROM A WELL KNOWN WASHINGTON DRUGGIST.
In reference to ELIXIR HEBBICK the great remedy for chills and fever and all malarial diseases. "Within the last five months I have sold 3,000 bottles of ELIXIR HEBBICK for Malaria, Chills and Fever. Our customers speak very well of it." Henry Evans, 927 F St., N. W. Washington, D. C. ELIXIR HEBBICK 50 cents, all druggists, or by Parcel Post, prepaid, from Kloczewski & Co., Washington, D. C.

Full Knowledge.
"Pa. Cousin Maude is going to study dietetics. What's dietetics?"
"It's this new science of dyes, son. Ask your father something harder."

Logical Result.
"Nobody likes the umpire."
"It's the logical result of trying to be strictly neutral."

A Famous Physician's Wonderful Discovery

After a series of careful experiments and tests at the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N. Y., covering many years—Dr. Pierce, the medical director of that hospital, made announcement that he could prove that a medicine which he called "ANURIC" was the best uric acid solvent now to be had. As a remedy for those easily recognized symptoms of inflammation—as swelling urine, backache and frequent urination, as well as sediment in the urine, or if uric acid in the blood has caused rheumatism, lumbago, sciatica, gout, it is simply wonderful how quickly "Anuric" acts; causing the pains and stiffness rapidly to disappear.

Swollen hands, ankles, feet are due to a dropsical condition, often caused by disordered kidneys. Naturally when the kidneys are deranged the blood is filled with poisonous waste matter, which settles in the feet, ankles and wrists; or under the eyes in bag-like formations. It is just as necessary to keep the kidneys acting properly as to keep the bowels active. The very best possible way to take care of yourself is to take a glass of hot water before meals and an "Anuric" tablet. In this way it is readily dissolved with the food, picked up by the blood and finally reaches the kidneys, where it has a tonic effect in rebuilding those organs. Step into the drug store and ask for a 50-cent package of "Anuric," or send Dr. Pierce 10c for trial pkg. "Anuric"—many times more potent than lithia, eliminates uric acid as hot water melts sugar. A short trial will convince you.—Adv.

Consoling Thought.
"I thought you were going to complain about last month's bill for light."
"No," replied M. Chuggins. "I'm going to sit quiet and be thankful that I don't have to burn gasoline to see by."

Her Love Hung on a Hair.
"I see where a Detroit wife left her husband because he wore a wig."
"Pshaw! that was but a bald excuse."

Instead of speaking his own mind many a man echoes his wife's.

His Treat.
Bacon—Been to see the doctor?
Egbert—Sure thing.
"Did he treat you?"
"Oh, no; it was my treat. It cost me two dollars."

The Facts in the Case.
Surgeon—I found the ball in the patient's shoulder was encysted.
Patient—Of course you did. 'Twas me that insisted it.

Some women have a mania for collecting marriage certificates.

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THE CENTRE REPORTER.

THURSDAY, MAY 18, 1916.

Millheim.

J. Lynn Harris is busy these days looking up the Republican voters. Guy Stover is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Motz. Grover Musser is laying a concrete walk for Nathaniel Boob.

Centre Hall was represented at the Tom Thumb wedding last Tuesday evening.

E. W. Mauck has remodeled his store room and is installing a down-to-date soda fountain.

Miss Pauline McCloskey, of Hallton, is visiting her cousin, Miss Cora Sechrist.

Calvin Smith, who is sick with pneumonia, is some better at this writing.

George Homan, the horseman, has shipped another car load of horses to the New York market.

E. Schlegle, the eye specialist of State College, was in town several days last week.

Elery Brown and family were Sunday visitors at Beech Creek with their daughter, Mrs. Russell Wolfe.

Misses Ruth Haessinger and Susie Rihel were delegates last week to the Sunday-school convention at Beaver-town.

Those who enjoyed the Sunday excursion to Washington were Amos Snook, H. G. Hartline, George Swartz and Velma Fiedler.

C. H. Breen and Company have placed a new Reo touring car at the home of Ed. I. Musser; also a Ford to Harry Leltzell.

John G. Eby has resigned as cashier of the Farmers National Bank. He has sold his property to Lewis Wingardner and will accept a position at Portage.

The reception on Monday evening, given by the young people of the Reformed church, to the members and friends, was well attended. A pleasant evening was enjoyed by all.

The mountain fire in Pine Creek hollow, last week, called out a body of men belonging to the Millheim hunting club to protect their new camp which was built last summer. When the boys arrived at the scene of the fire they thought there was no chance of saving the building but after fighting nearly all day and night they finally had the fire under control, and as everything is burned around the camp now there will be no further danger of any damage to the camp caused by forest fire, for some time to come.

A few days ago a large white rooster belonging to Daniel Zeigler, after being released from his night's lodging place, went out for a morning's stroll. In approaching the house he noticed a door standing open and as he wasn't going to miss anything in the way of slight-seeing ventured in, and finding himself in a bed room soon came to the conclusion that it was a lonely place as there was no one there to greet him. Intent on making the best of his discoveries he began to size up all the pictures on the walls, hopping from one chair to the other, and finally landing on the dresser where he came face to face with another of his kind, each one claiming right of possession. They soon came to blows and in the mix-up the mirror was pretty well decorated, and a large lamp which was thrown on the floor aroused the household which put an end to the duel. The decision rendered was a draw.

BOALSBURG.

Quite a few people are housed up with the mumps.

Frank Fisher and Charles Fisher visited their mother last week.

Paul Rupp of Pitsaen spent a short time with his parents here.

John Stover was home from Altoona for several days.

Edward Sellers, who works at Milton, spent several days at home.

John Wilson, of Altoona, visited relatives and friends a few days last week.

R. B. Harrison and family and Charles Cori spent Sunday at Pleasant Gap.

Mr. Hankey, a student from State College, spent Sunday afternoon with Miss Blanche Rowe.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Hazel and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Faxon were among the excursionists to Washington on Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. E. C. Stover spent the greater part of the last week at the Bellefonte hospital with their son Elwood, who was operated on for appendicitis. He is getting along nicely and they expect to bring him home this week.

The undersigned has on hand a quantity of roof paint which he guarantees to give the best of service for from five to ten years. With the use of "Seal-tite" he can patch up an old roof to again be like new. These materials can be bought and applied by purchaser or I will do the work.—F. M. ACKERMAN, Spring Mills, Pa.

According to reports from all sections of the State the livestock is in splendid condition. In twenty-one counties the condition is reported above the average while in twenty-six counties the condition is normal. Little disease is reported and the livestock has spent a splendid winter.

REBERSBURG

Miss Eva Moyer is confined to bed with a severe attack of pneumonia.

Mrs. Edwin Weaver left on Monday for Millinburg to visit relatives for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Boob, of Millheim, spent last Friday in this town.

Mrs. C. O. Mallory has returned from a week's visit to Pittsburgh.

Mrs. Samuel Frank is spending a week at Harrisburg with her son Clarence.

Farmers in this section are very busy planting corn. The ground is very dry and a good soaking rain would be welcome.

Mrs. Lester Minnich left on Monday morning for State College to nurse her sick sister, Mrs. Levi Wance, whose recovery is not expected.

Rev. and Mrs. Stauffer left on Monday in their auto for Hawthorne, Clarion county, where Rev. Stauffer has accepted a call. Their trip at present is for the purpose of making arrangements for moving the latter part of this month. They will return to this place the latter part of this week and on Saturday, May 20th, they will make sale of some of their household goods.

Woodward.

John Grenoble was to State College Monday to attend his brother's funeral.

Mrs. Charles Grimm, of Mazeppa, was home a few days to attend her mother's sale.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Silvus, from Laurelton, spent Sunday afternoon at the home of C. D. Motz.

Oliver Hosterman left for Buffalo, New York, on Monday, after staying with his mother since the death of his father.

Dr. E. G. Kuhlman, of Pittsburgh, spent Sunday with his wife and baby at the home of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. P. Ard.

Mrs. Phoebe Wise entertained her brothers, Robert Miller, of Montgomery, and Fred Miller, of Millinburg, also her granddaughter, Miss Edna Orndorf, of Coburn, on Sunday.

Georges Valley

Robert Barger sports a new rubber tire buggy.

Mrs. Charles Ripka is spending this week with her parents at Sober.

Rev. Miller dined at the C. W. Lingle home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Auman spent Sunday afternoon with the former's brother, Fred Auman.

Mrs. Rose Lingle and three sons, Russell, Miles and Robert, spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. H. M. Lingle.

Colyer.

Miss Caroline McCloskey is plying the needle at the Meiss home.

Mrs. Lydia Lingle is employed as cook at the Zimmerman lumber camp.

Miss Maggie Young spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Fred Brown.

Mrs. George Yarnell spent Wednesday and Thursday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Meiss.

Mrs. P. B. Jordan spent Saturday afternoon at the William Reiter home.

Miss Laura Foust visited the John Bubb home Saturday evening and Sunday.

Mrs. Clair Stemm, who has been sick for some time, was taken to the Bellefonte hospital, Friday.

Miss Virginia Young spent a few days with her mother, Mrs. David Young, last week.

Frank Young, (who was employed at Burnham, came home Monday and is confined to bed, suffering from pneumonia, but at this writing is improving.

PENN HALL

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Smith visited their son, Charles, at Coburn, Saturday.

Miss Helen Riehel from Farmers Mills spent Sunday at the home of her aunt, Mrs. William Sinkabine.

Mrs. George Shook and daughter Irma called at the home of Charles Bartges, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Rice, of Washington, D. C., visited among friends here several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. William Smith, from Spring Mills, called at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Smith, Sunday.

The carpenters have started to rebuild the barn on the Mary C. Fisher farm, which was destroyed by fire last fall.

FRUITTOWN.

James Sarsen, of State College, spent a few days last week at the home of his grandparents in this place.

Harris Bubb, of Hollidaysburg, is spending ten days with his parents and friends at this place.

Misses Dora and Ida Klinefeller, Sadie Lee and Grace Bradford, were callers at the Fobringer home, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sparr Wert and daughter, of Aaronsburg, took dinner at the T. J. Fleisher home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Boal and children, of Huntingdon, are spending some time with the former's mother, Mrs. Peter Boal, who is seriously ill at this writing.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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We lead, others try to follow. If you doubt it compare the following prices:

New Catch Jumbo Salt Fish . . . 10c lb.; Pail, 63c; 15-lb. Pail, 84c; 30-lb. Pail (1-4 bbl) \$1.50.	I still have some GRANULATED SUGAR to sell for \$2 for 25-lb. sacks.
Note Prices on the following CANNED GOODS:	Dried Peaches . . . 7c lb 3 lbs. for 20c
Tomatoes . . . 10 & 12c Worth today 12 & 14	Jumbo Dried Peaches . . . 10c Worth 12c
Sweet Potatoes . . . 10c	9 oz. Bottle Pure Honey . . . 10c
Pumpkin . . . 8 & 10c	1-lb. Box Macaroni . . . 9c 3 for 25c
Large Can Pork and Beans (with tomato sauce) . . . 12c Worth 14c	6-oz. Box Egg Noodles . . . 9c 3 for 25c
Corn . . . 8, 9 & 10c	Cream of Wheat . . . 14c
Peas . . . 8 & 10c worth 10 & 12c	Grape Nuts . . . 14c
Mixed Vegetables for soup . . . 10c	Small Box Postum . . . 14c
Pie Peaches . . . 10c	Large Box Postum . . . 24c
Golden West Yellow Peaches 13c . . . or 2 cans for 25c	Sweetened Cocoa . . . 23c lb.
Peaches like these sold for 16 to 18c a year ago	Arbuckles Coffee . . . 20c
Hawaiian Pineapples . . . 15c Worth 18c	5c Box Matches . . . 4c
Pink Salmon . . . 10c	Swartz's Baking Powder . . . 17c lb.
Medium Red Salmon, 13c, 2 for 25	
Salmon will be higher but not here. I have a big stock on hand	6 Packs of either Union Workman, Redman, Beechnut, Peachy, or Sure Shot Scrap Tobacco for . . . 25c
	Freshmuth Tobacco . . . 37c lb. 19c 1 lb.

I have many more interesting prices for you but I will stop right here and say, "Come and See."

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